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號七十月六年八十六百八千一英 HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, 17TH JUNE, 1868. AGENTS FOR THE CHINA MAIL. LONDON :- F. ALGAR, 11, Clement's Lane, Lombard Street. George Street, 30, Cornhill. GORDON & GOTCH, 121, Holborn Hill, E.C. BATES HENDY & Co.,

4 Old Jewry, E.C. AUSTRALIA, TASMANIA, AND NEW ZEALAND:-GOHDON & GOTCH, Melbourne and Sydney.
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CHINA: -Swatow, Drown & Co. Amoy, GILES & Co. Foochow, THOMPSON & Co. Shanghai, H Food & Co. Manila, C. KARUTH & Co.

APPIVALA

June 13, Agnes Banfield, Brit. barq., 481 J. Bastian, Bombay, April 16, Cotton. -R. S. WALKER & Co.

Departures.

June 17, Mataura, for Howland's Island 17, Sarah, for Chefoo. 17, Colima, for Whampoa. 17, H. M. Sass, for Swatow.

Under Despatch.

17, Douglas, for Shanghai.

17, Erl King, for Shanghai

Yesso, on Thursday, the 18th instant, at

For further Arrivals, New Advertisements, &c., &c., see 2nd page.

New Advertisements.



FOR FOOCHOW. The A 1 British Barque. "CLARA SAYERS," Captain BREMNER, will have quick despatch for the above

For Freight, at cheap rates, apply to Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

"EVERHARD," FROM CARDIFF. IIIHE above-named Vessel having arrived. I from Cardiff, Consignees of Cargo are requested to communicate immediately with the Undersigned.

MELCHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 16, 1868. "MADAGASCAR," FROM CARDIFF. \*I HE above-named Vessel having arrived from Cardiff, Consignees of Cargo are requested to communicate immediately with | ance Companies.

MELCHERS & Co.

Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

the Undersigned.

CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the Spanish Ship "ESPERANZA," from Cardiff via Rio de Janeiro, are requested to seno in their Bills of Lading for countersignature to REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

Agents of the Spanish Ship Esperanza."

Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

"JEANNE and JOSEPH," FROM YOKOHAMA. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above-

their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature, and to take imme- lony diate delivery of their Goods. Cargo impeding the discharge of the vessel will be laided and stored at Consignees'

risk and expense by ARNHULD KARBERG & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

S.S. "LIGHTNING," FROM CALCUTTA CONSIGNEES of Opium are hereby in-O formed that the same will be landed and stored in the Godowns of Messrs Dent & Co., and will be ready for delivery on and after the 9th instant. The Opium is risk. All Opium not taken delivery of before | forwarded to him, at the Bakery, or left at 14th instant, will be charged godown rent | Messis Thos. Hunt & Co.'s will receive at the rate of \$1 per chest per month

Consignees of other cargo are requested to take immediate delivery of their goods. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

"SCAWFELL," FROM LONDON. CONSIGNEES of Cargo by the above / Vessel are hereby informed that the whole of the Cargo will be landed and stored in Messrs Dent & Co.'s B Godown, at ship's expense, but at Consignees' risk. BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

'ONSIGNEES of the undermentioned advised that the same bave been landed and stored at their risk and expense.

20 casks Ale. 2 cases Merchandize. FY&Co., C P & Co., R & Co., (in dia.) 3 · Do.

D (1 HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, June 12, 1868.

"MAIDEN QUEEN," FROM LONDON. ONSIGNEES of Cargo by the abovenamed Vessel are requested to send in their Bills of Lading for countersignature. The Cargo will be lamled and stored at Messra Dent & Co.'s Godowns at Ship's expense but at Consignoed risk. Cargo will be ready for delivery on Saturday, 20th instant, All Cargo not taken delivery

charged Godown Rent.

Hongkong, June 16, 1868,

FOR SALE, of before Saturday, the 4th July, will be be sent to EDMUND R. HOLMES, Stag Hotel. Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

New Advertisements.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned have been appointed Agents for the UNION OF HAMBURG UNDERWRITERS, and beg to draw attention to §65-68 and §127-141 of the "Allgemeine See Versicherungs Bedingungen von 1867," according to which all documents to substantiate claims against the Union of Hamburg Underwriters must be certified by the Agents, or they will not

Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

OF HONGKONG IN BANKRUPTCY

OTICE is hereby given that a Meeting Victoria Dispensary, works, William Robert Cunningham, late of Victoria, Shipchandler, Maria Mould, late of Victoria, Widow and Nurse, will be held, pursuant to the 151st Section of the Bankruptcy Ordinance 1864, in the Supreme before the Honorable William Hastings Alexander, Esquire, Registrar of the Sup-

For Swatow, Amoy and Foochow, -Per pursuance of the said Section, declare whether any and what part of the nett produce. contingencies, shall be divided amongst the

Creditors who have not proved, or who shall not then prove, will be excluded from the benefit of the dividend, and all clains not proved will be disallowed F. S. HUFFAM

Hongkong, 13th June, 1868.

on premises situated on Praya Central. CHARLES RIVINGTON

Hongkong, June 9, 1868. STORAGE FOR COMBUSTIBLES. HE Undersigned is prepared to STORE now, and after 6th July,

FETAOLEUM in an isolated Godown in Wanchi, and SALTPETRE in an isolated Godown in Wanchi,

in accordance with the notice of the Insur-

3. Stan'ey Street. Hougkong, June 9, 1868.

TAKEN BY MISTAKE. PROM Seat No 40, North Transcot, St. John's Cathedral, a Greek TESTA-MENT with the Owner's name on it. The person in whose possession it is will oblige by handing it to the Sexton. Hongkong, June 9, 1868.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having PURCHASED the Interest of the "WANCHI STEAM BAKERY," begs to notify the Public of Hongkong and Ship Masters that he is prepared named Vessel are requested to send in | to furnish Daily Supplies of Soft BREAD

in various forms, to any part of the Co-Also Ship BREAD of best quality and at on the Ground, low rates constantly on hand or baked in quantities at short notice.

Also Water, Butter, Soda and Sugar BISCUITS by the Barrel, Tin or Pound. Also Corn and Rye MEAL, HOMINY CORN STARCH, BICARB, SODA, Sale ratus and Cream TARTAR.

CAKE of all kinds baked to order. The above is under the Superintendence stored at Vessel's expense, but at shipper's of Mr Jonathan Parsons, and all orders

prompt attention.

L. P. WARD. Hongkong, February 17, 1868. 11 R GLASSE begs to inform his Patrons

It and the Public that he has just ERECTED a new American SODA WATER FOUNTAIN in anticipation of the hot Season just at hand. TONIC DRINKS and beverages ICE COLD and flavoured with all the various Fruit Syrups of the purest kind can at any moment be had at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY.

FOR SALE. packages per " HUSAN" are hereby MUNTZ'S Yellow METAL, 20 to 28 oz. Apply to

SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868.

FOR SALE. BEST Keeling COAL.
Apply to

Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

LANDSTEIN & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868. FOR SALE.

GRAND PIANOFORTE, by Collard purchasers. Will be sold cheap. Apply to the Office of this Newspaper.
Honokong, June 15, 1868.

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Mangoes, Mangoes, Mangoes.

SMALL lot of Fresh Picked Manila MANGOES, just arrived. Orders to

New Advertisements. TIDMAN'S GENUINE SEA SALT

FOR MAKING Sea Water Baths In your own Room. the benefit derived from this SEA SALT, FOAMING BILLOV'S.

SIEMSSEN & Co.

of the Creditors of Thomas William Smith, late of Victoria, Overseer of Water-

reme Court, being the Officer appointed by the Supreme Court sitting in Bankruptcy. At the said Meeting the Official Assignee will, in pursuance of the 151st Section of the said Ordinance, submit Statements of the Bankrupts' Estates recovered and out-For Singapore, Penang and Calcutta, standing, and of all receipts and all pay-Per Lightning, on Saturday, the 20th in- ments made or to be made thereout, and the Creditors at the said Meeting will, in of the Estates of the said Bankrupts, after making reasonable deductions for future

Proofs of Debts will be received, and

Official Assignee.

STORAGE FOR OPIUM. HE Undersigned is prepared to STORE | SMITH and Mr THOMAS PYKE. Opium in a mst class Granite Godown

3, St. nley Street.

CHARLES RIVINGTON,

Hollmrood Road, next door to the HOTEL DE EUROPE. Hongkong, May I, 1867.

Auctions

PUBLIC AUCTION.

in depth, situated on Marine Lot No. 7.

and consisting of FLOUR of best Brands constantly on Eastern Wing, containing 5 Rooms on hand supplied by the Barrel, Bag, Tin or the 1st Floor and 8 Rooms on the 2nd

ing about 2,000 Tons. The Centre BUILDING known as DENT & Co.'s Offices, containing 8 Rooms, Compradore's Quarters, Spacious Fireproof Treasury and Godown, capable of

One DWELLING HOUSE in the with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out Offices, Godown below of about 2,000 Tons

either in one or more lots to suit pur-

TERMS OF SALE.—One third of the purchase money to be paid on fall of the hammer, one third 2 months after sale, and the balance 4 months after sale, in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7,1.7 Transfer expenses to be borne by the

For further particulars or details of plans, apply to

PUBLIC AUCTION.

R. Glasse begs to call the special atwhich is positively extracted from the ings,--

The following BOATS and ARTI-By dissolving a small portion in water it | CLES, salved from the Ship TRICOLOR, produces a BATH, exactly similar to SEA wrecked upon the Pratas: WATER, and the same invigorating and For account of the Concerned

l0th June, 1868. NO MORE PRICKLY HEAT OR IRRITATION OF THE SKIN.

IUNIPER Tar Oil SOAP, as recom-I mended by Dr Erasmus Wilson, will Court flouse, on Monday, the 6th day of be found to alleviate the above, and allay July 1368, at 3 o'clock in the afternoon, all irritation, at the same time rendering the skin soft and smooth.

> To be had only at THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY, Hougkong, June 10, 1868.

> JUST ARRIVED. (From " Peter Denny.") L'INEST FLORENCE OIL, for Salad, at \$6 per dozen.

Apply to G: DUBOST & Co. Hougkong, June 5, 1868.

TO LET. HE OFFICES situated in Queen's Road. formerly occupied by Messra Lyall

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. East Point, June 15, 1868. NOTICE.

HE Interest and Responsibility of Mr FRANCIS PARRY and Mr THOMAS 4jul SMITH in our Firm ceased on 31st December, 1867, from which date the Partners are Mr Charles Wilson Murray, Mr Arthur BIRLEY & Co.

Hongkong, June 16, 1868. DOARD and LODGING with every At- SUITES, in Walnut, Mahogany and b tendance, for ONE GENTLEMAN; close Rosewood. to the Parade Ground. Charge moderate. Apply to T. HART & Co.

No. 2, Queen's Road E. Hongkong, June 4, 1868. C. L. VOLKMANN,

Private Boarding Establishment 29. HOLLYWOOD ROAD, HONGKONG.

Hongkong, January 7, 1868. IRS. VINTON'S PRIVATE FAMILY BOARDING ESTABLISHMENT,

Provision Merchants.

\*HE Undersigned have received in | tensive assortment of 6 light, 5 light, 4 & Co.'s Estate, to sell by Public Auction | most recerche designs; Hall LAMPS, (if not previously disposed of by private Bracket LAMPS, Ceiling PLATES, sale), on an early day in November next, Dome SHADES and GLOBES in va-

The BUILDINGS known as DENT & Co.'s Hongkong Praya Property, measuring 298 feet in frontage by 175 feet in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7

One DWELLING HOUSE in the of the hammer. Floor, with Bath Rooms, Kitchens, Out

Offices, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and a Godown below capable of hold

holding about 1,000 Tons. Western Wing, containing 5 Rooms on the 1st Floor and 6 Rooms on the 2nd Floor, &c., &c. with Gas and Water laid on, and

Crown Rent \$917.64 per annum. These Buildings have only been erected two years and are built of Granite and Brick, the woodwork being Teak through-

The whole of this Property to be sold

Messis BREMNER & LAYCOCK, 4, Austin Friars, Old Broad Street.

London, E.C., Or, in Hongkong, to the Undersigned. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hougkong, June 10, 1868,

Sale Rooms, Commercial Bank Build

1 Copper-fastened Life Boat, of 5 tons measurement. I Yacht, rigged complete, of 3½ tons measurement

2 Steering Compasses. I Chronometer, by Pier, Liverpool. 1 ditto, by Fletcher, London. 2 Patent Snider's Rifles, with 800 ounds of Boxer's Cartridges.

4 Enfield Rifles complete, with rounds of Cartridges and Caps. 3 dozen tins Preserved Meats.

Sets of Ash Oars. Cutlasses, Muskets, etc., etc. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. J. M. ARMSTRONG,

Hongkong, June 16, 1868. OWRA & Co. will sell by Public

Auction, by order and at the Residence of Wilberforce Wilson, Esq., Surveyor General, Upper Seymour Ter-

FRIDAY. 26th June, 1868, at Noon,-The whole of the Elegant Household FURNITURE, comprising: Drawing

Catalogues will be issued. TERMS OF SALE —Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All lots with all faults and errors of

description whatsoever at purchaser's risk upon fall of the hammer. Hongkong, June 10, 1868. EXTENSIVE SALE OF GAS

CHANDELIERS, HALL LAMPS, BRACKETS, &c., &c. IN OWRA & Co. have been favored with instructions to sell by Public Auc-

tion, at their Rooms, on TUESDAY 30th June, 1868, at 11 o'clock A.M., —

in Gilt and Bronze, comprising; an exstructions from the Trustees of DENT | light, 3 light, 2 light and 1 light, of the

whatsoever at purchaser's risk upon fall

Hongkong, June 12, 1868. Banks.

ING CORPORATION

SUBSCRIEED CAPITAL, FIVE MILLIONS OF DOLLARS.

Chairman, -George John Helland, Esq. Deputy Chairman-GEO. F. HEARD, Eaq. W. H. FOSTER, JR., JULIUS MENKE Esq. JAMES B. TAYLOR, SOLOMON D. SASSOON, WILLIAM LEMANN, JAS. P. DUNCANSON

HONGKONG. INTEREST ALLOWED ON Current Deposit Accounts at the rate of 1 per cent, per amount on the daily

On Fixed Deposits :---4 per cent. 5 per cent. ,, ,, , 12 ,, LOCAL BILLS DISCOUNTED.

chief Commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, America, China and Japan. VICTOR KRESSER, Chief Manager. Offices of the Corporation, Wardley House, No, 1, Queen's Road,

Drafts, granted on London, and the

Auctions.

THE Undersigned has received in-A structions to sell by Public Auc-

1 Azimuth Compass, new and com-

A quantity of Old Canvas.

Manila Rope.

Room, Dining Room and Bed Room

To close a consignment. An Invoice of Gas CHANDELIERS

In lots to suit purchasers. TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery All lots with all errors of description

HONGKONG & SHANGHAI BANK-

COURT OF DIRECTORS.

Managers. VICTOR KRESSER, Eaq. Hongkong, . . Chief Manager. DAVID MAGLEAN, Esq. LONDON BANKERS, -London and County

For 3 months, 2 per cent, per annum. Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Hongkong, March 2, 1868

PACIFIC MAIL STEAM-SHIP COMPANY.

日七十月四閏年辰戊治同

TEAMER "COLORADO" will leave Hongkong for Yokohama and San Francisco on or about July 15th. about same date, connecting at Yokohama with above-named steamer.

Passengers ticketed through to California Mexico. Central and South America, the Atlantic States, and to England or France, both via New York and by lines from Panama and Aspinwall Return tickets issued at a reduction of

10 % upon the whole amount for the round Connections are made at Panama with Steam Lines upon the West Coast of Contral and South America, at Aspinwall with the "Royal West India Mail Line," "West India and Pacific Steam-ship Company," (Limited) and the "French Transatlantic Company." And, at New York, with the various lines to Europe. Tickets issued for the following Steam-ship Lines: Cunard, Inman, National, General Transatlantic Co., New York and Havre Steamship Co., Hamburg and American Packet Co., New York and Bremen Steam-ship

Co., and North German Lloyds. Eavorable arrangements have been made for through passengers and freight to America, from Calcutta, Penang and Singapore, and, from Swatow, Amoy and Foochow. Through Bills of Lading given for Ports of Mexico and on the West Coast of Central and South America to as far as Valparaiso, to New York, Liverpool, Southampton

Freight to United States payable in advance in Mexican Dollars, or on delivery in American Gold Coin with 8 per cent additional, at shipper's option. For further information, apply at the Agency of the Company, Praya West. GEO. F. BOWMAN, Agent.

and St. Nazaire, France.



NOTICE. COMPAGNIE DES SERVICES MA KITIMES DES MESSAGERIES IMPERIALES. PAQUEBOTS POSTE FRANCAIS.

INDIA AND CHINA LINES, HONGKONG ACENC STEAM FOR SAIGON, SINGAPORE, BATAVIA POINT DE GALLE, ADEN, SUEZ, ALEXANDRIA, MESSINA,

MARSEILLES, BOMBAY, PONDICHERY, MADRAS, THE Company's Steam-ship "DON NAL" Commandant Bourdon, will leave this Port for the above places, with Mails, Passengers, Specie and Cargo, shortly after the arrival of the steamer Dupleix, from

Cargo and Specie will be registered for London as well as for Marseilles, and accepted in transit through Marseilles for the principal places of Europe, Cargo will be received on board until 4 P.M. of the 22nd Instant, Specie and Parcels until 5 P.M. of the 22nd Instant Parcels are not to be sent on board; they must be left at the Agency's Office. For further particulars, apply at the

Hongkong, June 16, 1868.

Swam Tugs

U. BERTRAND, Principal Agent.

Company's Office.

NOTICE. HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

STEAM-TUG "FAME," 110 H. P. NOMINAL. With disconnecting Engines. YHIS Powerful TUG is available at any moment to Berth Vessels in Harbour or Tow them to or from Sea. For particulars, apply to the Captain on board, or to the Office of the Company, d'Aguilar Street, Hongkong.

JOHN'S. LAPRAIK, Secretary. Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

NUTICE, I HE STEAM TUG ISLAND QUEEN, 130 H. P. Nominal, will commence to ply on the River Min and adjacent waters early in the apring, and will then be available to berth ships at the anchorage, and to tow to, and from, sea at usual rates. For further information, apply to Messrs E. H. How & Co., Foochow, or to the Un-

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co.,

Hongkong, February 10, 1868.

dersigned.

FOR YOKOHAMA,
The 1 British barque "LY-EE-MOON"
will have immediate despatch
for the above port. For Freight or Passage, apply to Landstein & Co. Hongkong, May 28, 1868,

Shipping.

FOR SAIGON. The British 3-masted Schooner "ANNE," Captain Petrie, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to JOHN BURD & Co.

PRICE, \$24 PER ANNUM.

Hongkong, June 13, 1868. FOR SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW. The Steam-ship Captain Ashton, will leave for the above ports on the 18th instant, at Noon.

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Co. Hongkong, June 15, 1868. FOR SHANGHAI. (Taking Cargo at through rates for Ningpo,

Hankow, Chefoo and Tientsin.) The Steam-ship " UNITED SERVICE," Capt. Stocks, will have quick despatch. For Freight or Passage, apply to

Hongkong, June 2, 1868. FOR SINGAPORE, PENANG AND CALCUTTA. The British Steamer

Captain Ronger, will be despatched for the above ports on patched for the above ports on Saturday next, the 20th instant, at 2 P.M. Despatches will close at 1 P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.

Hongkong, June 13, 1868.

ing day, at Noon.

liave quick despatch

FOR SINGAPORE, MAURITIUS AND LONDON. The Ocean Steam-ship Co.'s "ACHILLES," RUSSELL, Master, is expected here on Tuesday evening next, the 16th instant, and will be despatched the follow-

For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, June 13, 1868. FOR LONDON. The A 1 British barque THORNE, Master, having the greater part of her cargo engaged, will load at Whampoa as above, and

For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co. Hongkong, June 9, 1868. FOR SAN FRANCISCO. (To follow the "WM. CHANDLER.") The  $oldsymbol{A}$  I British Barque "JEANNIE BERTEAUX," 598 Tons Register, HARRISON

of her Cargo engaged, will have quick despaich as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to
BOSMAN & Co. Hongkong, May 28, 1868.

Master, having the greater part

FOR SAN FRANCISCO. The A I British snip
"WILLIAM UHANDLER,"
Tons Register, Brown
Master, will load as above, The A 1 British ship For Freight or Passage, apply to Hongkong, May 11, 1868.

The American ship "MIDNIGHT," will have quick despatch as above. For Freight or Passage, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, May 12, 1868.

Hongkong, June 12, 1868.

Apply to

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.

The A 1 American barque SEYMOUR, Master, will have For Freight, apply to OLYPHANT & Co.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO

Hongkong, June 9, 1868. FOR MELBOURNE & SYDNEY, The British Barque "SUNSHINE"Captain MARTIN, will have quick despatch as above. For Freight, apply to RUSSELL & Co.

FOR FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The A 1 British Ship "THERESA," Cooper, Master, of 705 Tons Register.

BIRLEY & Co.

BOSMAN & Co.

Hongkong, June 11, 18 8. FOR SALE FREIGHT OR CHARTER. The Tahitian steamer Capt. CLARK of about 1000 tons Capacity. For further particulars, apply to,

Hongkong, May 21, 1868. NOTICE. THE interest and responsibility of Mr. 1 W. C. VAN OORDT in our firm censed on the 1st January, 1866.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co.

Have this day established myself as a General Commission Merchant under the style or firm of VAN OORDT & Co. W. C. VAN OURDT. Yokohama, October 24, 1867.

Hongkong, November 19, 1867.

Senior Naval Officer

W. R. Adamson & Co Birley, Worthington & Co

Russell & Co

Frazar & Co

Order

TAR. R. A. H. TOLLIUS GLUZENKAMP, being from this date interested in our Firm, will sign the same per procuration. REYNVAAN BROTHERS & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868.

NOTICE, TATE have established Mr J. R. CUNNING-YY NINGHAM as our Agent in Amoy and all business addressed to his care comes under our control. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, June 1, 1868.

NOTICE. AR BENJAMIN ROBERT STANFORD was admitted a Partner in our Firm on 1st January, 1868. J. McDONALD & Co.,

Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

INTE have authorized Mr CLAUS BUDDE to sign our Firm from this date. DREYER & Co. Hongkong, January I, 1868.

NOTICE. THE Interest and Responsibility of Ma RICHARD B. PARR in our Firm, ceased on the 31st March, 1868. ALFRED WILKINSON & Co. Hongkong, April 16, 1868.

NOTICE. TPROM and after this date Mr George F. BOWMAN will act as AGENT of the Pacific Mail Steam-ship Company at this

S. L. PHELPS.

Hongkong, August 15, 1867.

 $\mathbf{NOTICE}$ .  $\mathbb{F}$ FIHE Interest and Responsibility of Mr. FERDINAND NISSEN in our Firm ceased

The Business will in future be conducted under the Style and Firm of ROBERTSON & Co. in which Mr Peter Gabain has been admitted a Partner.

on the 30th April last.

NISSEN & ROBERTSON. Ningpo, May 9, 1868.

THE connection of the Undersigned withthe Firm of Messrs Thos. HUNT & Co. ceases from this date.

J. M. ABMSTRONG, Hongkong, May 1, 1868.

NOTICE. AR FERDINAND NISSEN and Mr HEINBICH HOPPIUS have been authorized to sign our Firm here and in China from this date. SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, May 12, 1868.

AR. J. MURRAY FORBES is autho-IVI rized to sign our name at Canton from this date.

RUSSELL & Co. China, February 15, 1868.

TAR GEORGE MACKRILL SMITH authorized to sign our Firm per procuration from this date. COARE, LIND & Co. Canton. June 4, 1808.

NOTICE. AAR. HENRY LISTON DALRYMPLE is authorised to sign our Firm per procuration, at Foothow from this date.

BIRLEY & Co. Hongkong, June 3, 1868.

NOTICE. A 1 Y Business, as Ship and Insurance 111 Broker, Commission Agent, &c. hitherto carried on by myself, will henceforward be conducted under the style or Firm of J. S. Hook, Son & Co. J. S. HOOK.

Hongkong, September 23, 1867.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET. THE BUSINESS PREMISES, formerly occupied by Messrs Arnhold, Kar-BERG & Co., consisting of Dwelling House, Offices, and spacious Godowns. Possession to be had on the 1st March.

JOHN BURD & Co. Hongkong, February 22, 1868.

STORAGE AN be had in First Class Granite Go. downs at Wanchai, on very moderate Terms.

For particulars, apply to CHARLES RIVINGTON. At Messrs Landstein & Co.'s Office, Stanley Street, Hongkong, January 1, 1868.

MRST Rate ROOMS for Offices or Dwelling HOUSE for Families in the Queen's Road, No. 92, with new Verandah. The whole in a thorough state of repair,

Mesers WM. SCHMIDT & Co., Gunmakers.

Hongkong, May 20, 1868. TO LET. HE Large Matshed No. 3, at Pokefulum, containing five rooms with out-houses

and Stables attached. Water laid. For particulars, apply to H. PESTONJEE SETNA

at Messrs P. A. C. CAMAJEE & Co.'s Office. Hongkong, June 2, 1868.

TO BE LET.

Furnished or Unfurnished. THE Dwelling HOUSE in the Albany at present occupied by Mr N. R. MASSON. Occupation can be had in a few weeks. Application can be made to Mr Masson a the Albany, Hougkong, September 25, 1867.

TO LET. HOUSE in Spring Gardens, containing A four Rooms and Out Houses; Rent. \$28 per month.

Apply at the Victoria Foundry. Hongkong, March 12, 1868. TO LET.

COMMODIOUS HOUSES, situated in 4 Morrison Hill, commanding a thorough view of the Harbour, with Stables, &c.

Apply to THOMAS WALLACE, East Point Godowns.

Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

Houses and Lands.

TO LET. I'HE desirable PREMISES on the Queen's Road, lately in the occupation of the Black Prince, Chusan, Peter Denny, and Asiatic Bank.

For particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. Hongkong, May 18, 1868.

TWO HOUSES TO BE LET DECENTLY put in thorough Repair, si-A tuated on the RISE OF THE HILL, Westward, and an easy distance from the Recent PUBLICATIONS of general inter-Queen's Road. Apply to MR. BARRINGTON.

Wundham Street. Hongkong, May 13, 1868.

TO BE LET. I'WO New and Strong GODOWNS on Marine Lot No. 63.

GAVIN THOMPSON at GIBB, LIVIN ISTON & Co.'s. | Pier GLASSES. Hongkong, December 16, 1867.

OUR Large ROOMS on Second Floor above the Offices of the Undersigned, Office BOOKS & STATIONERY. 44, Queen's Road, at present occupied by BRUSHWARE, Messrs C. Hock & Co. Possession can be PERFUMERY. taken on the 1st of January, 1868. For Terms, &c., apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, November 6, 1867.

TO BE LET. HOUSE in Queen's Road, commanding | Oilman's STORES. A a good view of the Harbour from the Photographic ALBUMS. North side. The House contains eight good Rooms with Bath Rooms, Verandahs, front and back, Kitchens, Servant's Rooms and Godowns on ground Floor,

TURNER & Co. Hongkong, February 8, 1868.

TO LET. HE whole of the Second Floor now occupied by the Undersigned, situated at Peddar's Wharf, comprising Dining Room and Pantry and fifteen Bed Rooms.

One half of the First Floor suitable for THOS. HUNT & Co.

Hongkong, May 13, 1868. TO BE LET. From 1st July.

N.O. 10, Shelley Street. Gas and Water THOS. HOWARD, Staunton Street. Hongkong, June 6, 1868.

For Sale

FOR SALE. Ex "MOBILE" and other late Arrivals. 100 BARRELS Hamburg Prime Mess

100 barrels Hamburg Prime Mess PORK A well assorted Invoice of Hoth's Prime quality Russian ROPE, BOLT o OPE, Seizing STUFF, HOUSELINE, MARLINE, LOGLINES, Signal HALYARDS, SPUN-YARN, &c. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, May 22, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex "BELTED WILL," "CHUSAN,

DASS'S ALE in hogsheads and kilderkins D Barclay's STOUT in hogsheads. Bass's ALE in bottle, quarts and pints. Guinness's STOUT in bottle, quarts and

Hennessy's Pale Old BRANDY. Old Tom GIN. Dinner SHERRIES from \$6 upwards. Fine Old PORT. Ginger WINE, Ginger BRANDY and Orange BITTERS. HAMS. CHEESE and OILMAN'S STORES. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co.

Hongkong, May 22, 1868. FOR SALE. HAMPAGNE, Adolphe Collins and

L. Jauyray & Co.'s Association Vissi-CLARET, real Château Margaux.

Haut Bages. L. Espaire Duroc. BRANDY, Hennessy's and Martel's in 1 dozen cases BEER and PORTER in bottle. .

BUTTER (Platts) in kegs. A quantity of Iron COLUMNS, Yellow METAL, 20/28 oz. with NAILS. Apply to

DOUGLAS LAPRAIK & Cc. Hougkong, December 11, 1867. FOR SALE

JUST LANDED. FEW cases Superior Manila CIGARS and CHEROOTS. A splendid assortment of genuine Havana CIGARS. Russian CIGARETTOS.

BIELFELD and ZACHARIAE Hongkong, April 29, 1868. FOR SALE. Ex " Chusan" and " I eter Denny." TYRAUGHT BEER in Hogsheads an

Kilderkins. Draught STOUT in half Hogsheads. MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, June 2, 1868

FOR SALE. FEW Silicated Carbon FILTERS of various Sizes and Patterns,

Hip Shower BATHS. RAY & Co. Hongkong, April 13, 1868.

JUST ARRIVED. 100 CASES CL RET, St. Estephe, \$5

Chateau Margaux Dessert CLARET, No. Chateau Margaux Dessert CLARET, No. CLARETS, superior quality in wood

cask, 46 gallons, \$45. each bottle bearing a Seal with the the Articles of Association. word "Medoc," \$4 per dozen. Apply to

G. DUBOST & Co. Hongkong, May 28, 1868,

For Sale.

FOR SALE ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. beg to call Lattention to the undermentioned new Goods ex Overland Mail. Wemyss Castle,

Nursery LAMPS. KEITHS' ICE MAKING APARATUS. Coffee ROASTERS. Sausage MACHINES.

Cook's BOILERS, KETTLES, & Kitchen Articles of all kinds. Travelling BATH:

ELLWOOD'S HELMETS. WATERPROOFS. Safety MATCHES,

GINGER BRANDY. KRUG'S RED SEAL, & Private Cuvée CHAMPAGNES. CHAMBERTIN, Still and Sparkling. SPARKLING MOSELLE CROCKERY & GLASSWARE.

OSLER'S HANGING LAMPS. Meerschaum PIPES. BIRDSEYE and other first rate TOBACCC Comet and Maltese CROSS SHERRIES. PERAMBULATORS.

BISCUITS. The "Wheel of Life." Breakfast CLARET. Dust SPECTACLES. HATS in great variety, and new shapes.

Hongkong, June 8, 1868. JUST RECEIVED.

EX "DUNMAIL," Etc.

W IME JUICE, in 5 Gallon Jars. Guinness's STOUT in pints and Draught BEER in hogsheads and

kilderkins. White Trowsers DUCK BOWRA & Co. Hongkong, June 11, 1868.

THE VICTORIA DISPENSARY NEW GOODS EX "CHUSAN," OVERLAND MAIL.

'AU DE COLOGNE, J. M. FARINA'S. L HENDRIL'S, PIESSE & LUBINS' and ATKINSON'S PERFUMERY.

Bath and Face SPONGES Sanspareil TOOTH BRUSHES and Powder PUFFS and BOXES.

Prepared FULLERS EARTH for the Nursery LAMPS. SELTZOGENES. Swimming BELTS. CITRATE OF MAGNESIA KEATING'S Insect POWDER Pear's Transparent SOAPS. New Fruit SYRUPS in great variety. Silicated Carbon Filters as recommended by the Board of Health Sir JAMES BURNETT'S DISINFECTING

FLUID. CHLORIDE OF LIME. Medicine CHESTS, for Ship and Family. And numerous other GOODS. GEO. GLASSE.

New Advertisements

Hongkoug, June 10, 1868.



STEAM FOR Singapore, Point de Galle, Aden Suez, Malta, Marseilles, and Sout ampton;

Bombay, Madras, and Calcutta.

THE PENINBULAR AND OBJECTAL STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY'S Steam-ship "ORISSA," Captain Hall, with Her Majesty's Mails, Passengers, Specie, and Cargo, will leave this for the above places, on FRIDAY, 26th June, at 7 A.M. OARGO and PARCELS will be received on board until Noon, and SPECIE until P. M. on the 25th June. For particulars regarding Freight and

Passage, apply at the P. & O. S. N. Co. Office, Hongkong, CONTENTS AND VALUE OF PACKAGES

ARE REQUIRED. A written declaration of the Contents and Value of the Packages for the Overland Koute. is required by the Egyptian Government, and must be delivered by the Shippers to the Company's Agents with the Bills of Lading, or with Parcels; and the Company do not hold themselves responsible for any detention prejudice which may happen from incorrectness on such declaration Shippers are particularly requested to note

the terms and conditions of the Company's Black Bills of Ladina. W. MACAULAY, Superintendent. P. & O. S. N. Co.'s Office. Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

FOR SWATOW & AMOY. The British Steamer

Captain GRANGE, will have quick despatch for the above For Freight or Passage, apply to GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

THE HONOKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BOAT CO., LIMITED. Ports:-

NOTICE. HE Ordinary Half-yearly MEETING of Shareholders of this Company will be held at the Office of the Company, Victoria, Hongkong, on SATURD Y, the 11th MEDOC, a light breakfast CLARET, day of July next, at 3 o'clock in the afterbottled by ourselves in Hongkong, | noon, in accordance with the provisions of

By order of the Board of Directors, AUGUSTINE HEARD & Oo., General Agents.

Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

New Advertisements:

THE HONGKONG, CANTON AND MACAO STEAM-BUAT CO., LIMITED.

NOTIGE. HE TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be closed from the 20th day of June instant to the 10th day of July proximo, inclusive. By order of the Board of Directors,

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co., General Agents. Hongkong, June 17, 1868. Hongkong, June 17th, 1868.

I AM directed by the Standing Committee of the Shareholders of the HONG-KONG CLUB BUILDING and PRO-PERTY to give Notice that the Shareholders intend to Resume their Property and cease to permit the Building to be used by the existing Hongkong Club or the Members thereof. The House will be closed at midnight on the 30th day of June instant, when the Shareholders will take over possession of the Building, Plate, Library, &c., &c. The Shareholders will be ready to meet the Members of the Club (or any number of Members selected for the purpose) at such time as may be convenient, for the purpose of adjusting and settling the accounts between the Members of the Club and the Shareholders.

Any Resident Member of the Hongkong Club wishing to receive back the Entrance Money paid by him can receive the amount on application at the Secretary's Office, Hongkong Club, on and after the 30th in-W. J. LOWNDES,

Secretary of the Club

WEEKLY AUCTION.

I ANE, CRAWFORD & Co. will sell by Public Auction, in the Sale Rooms, Queen's Road, on

FRIDAY 19th June, 1868, at Noon, .... Their usual large assortment of Goods,

An Invoice of Morton's Stores, comprising: Sardines, Pickles, Vinegar, Table Salt, Biscuits, &c.

An Invoice of Coward's Pickles and Salad Oil, 🦠 And an extensive variety of other  ${f MEROHANDIZE}$ 

TERMS OF SALE.—Cash before delivery in Mexican Dollars weighed at 7.1.7. All Lots with all faults and errors of description at purchaser's risk on the fall of the hammer. Hongkong, June 17, 1868.

POST-OFFICE NOTIFICATIONS. MAILS WILL CLOSE :-For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-CUTTA,— Per "LIGHTNING," on Saturday, the 20th instant, at 1 P.M.

For SINGAPORE, PENANG & CAL-Per "GLENGYLE," at 1 P.M., on Saturday next, the 20th inst. For SWATOW, AMOY & FOOCHOW,

Per "YESSO," on Thursday, the 18th For SAN FRANCISCO, -Per "MIDNIGHT," on Friday, the

19th instant, at 5 P.M. UNDER DESPATCH. For San Francisco, — Per Midnight, on Friday, the 19th instant.

LATEST SHIPPING.

ARRIVAL. June 17, William Fraing, Chevalier. Cardiff, 1,136 tous Coal, 145 days out. R. S. Walker & Co.

CLEARED. Erl King, for Shanghai. Avonvale, for Whampos. Yesso, for Swatow. Gipsey, for Saigon.

DEPARTURES June 16, *Patino*, for Manila. 17, Colla, for Canton.

SHIPPING REPORT. The Amer. ship Richard S. Ely, from New York, reports having spoken on Feb. 13th in Lat. 6.32 N., Long. 25.32 E., Eng. barq. Minnie, Shanghai to London; Feb. 14th English barque Finzel, lat 5.23 N. long. 26.00 E., Foochow to London. Feb. 21st 7. S. long. 26.10 W., English ship Twilight, Liverpool to Bombay; same date English barque Moss Trooper, Liverpool to Singapore. Feb. 28, lat. 12.05 S. long. 31.17 W., English ship Hertfordshire, (all fornia to Liverpool. Mar. 5, lat. 26,03 long. 32.45 W., American barque Hosea B. Rich. Montevideo to Antwerp. April 1st, lat. 39 00 S., long. 4.26 E., English ship | Cambay, Liverpool to Bombay. April 2nd, lat. 38,53 S. long. 5.32 E., American whaling brig Parah, reported no oil yet. May 18, lat. 7.00 S. long. 105.10 E., French barque Gleaner, Bordeaux to Bangkok; same date Dutch barque Walcheren, Batavia to Jilajup May 18, lat. 7. S., long. 105.10 E., Spanish ship Esperanza, Rio de Janeiro to Hongkong. May 20, off Anger Point, Dutch barque Lady Love, Nagasaki to Amsterdam; on same date, British ship Wm. Frui a. Cardiff to Hongkong. May 26. lat. 00.40 S., long. 107.15 E., British barg. Indus, Cochin-China to Plymouth, May

(From the Canton Customs Daily Returns.) Per United Service, cleared for Coast

30 cases Glue. 46 pkgs. Silk Piece Goods and Rib-300 bags White Sugar. 321 packages Sundries.

Additional per Falcon, cleared for L'don: 16,741 boxes Scented Caper Tea. 2,725 boxes Scented Orange Pekce Tea. 550 boxes Gunpowder Tea. 30 bales Silk Refuse.

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OUOTATIONS. Hongkong, 17th June, 1868.

OPIUM.—Patna, New, ... \$6321 Benarcs, New, Malwa, ... ... COTTON. - BOMBAY, .... CALCUTTA, ... žxchange, Bank, 6 months' sight, .... Credits, 6 On Calcutta, 3 days' sight, Rs. 234 "Bombay, 3 days' sight, Rs. 232 "Shanghae, 3 days' sight Bank, Tls. 721 Bar Silver, 17 dwts. B., 11 per cent pre. ... ... ... 23.25 p. tl.

Gold Bar, 98 touch, ... 22.80 a 85 English Sovereigns, ... 4.62 Australian Sovereigns, ... 4:00 H. & W. pon dock, Old, 14 per cent pm. New, 7 per cent pm. L&S, Bank Shares, Old, 24 per cent pm. New, 41 per cent pm. do. Union Dock Shares, ... 25 nominal Temperature.

Honokono, 17th June, 1868. Attached Thermometer. Maximum S. Rgr., Minimum S. Rgr., `••• Max. Sun's Rays, Minimum on Grass, ... 74.0 Previous Rain on Grou., 0.07 ,, above, ... 24 hours.

THE CHINA MALL.

CHINESE INSOLENCE. granted to foreigners to work the coal most important fact and one to which we is sufficiently interesting, exclusive of Strange as it may seem, he distinctly of the Northern provinces. Upon all

other points—the right to navigate inland waters, to construct Railways and Telebehalf of his conservatism. There is something very significant in this last of arms any assertion on our part which bears the aspect of superiority! It is time that this ridiculous farce were put an end to. Nothing could be

the Peking authorities that we

recommendations, and that we do intend that they shall in any sense whatever be allowed to carry weight. Such a statement would very probably alarm the of cheating, he would have punished the it keeping up the miserable delusion that we are treating with them on equal terms when in very fact every single act in which we have been concerned in China is the result of an appeal to the bayonet and rifle pure and simple? For the benefit of those who even yet fail to see the "actualities" of our position, we will reiterate for about the fortieth time the statement of how we arrived at our present position in the Empire. Imprimis of arms. We worked to the same end the capture, at various periods. Canton, Amoy, Ningpo, Shanghai, Taku, Tientsin, and the beleaguerment Peking. Our legation in that City was established under the bayonets of British and French troops. We burnt the chief next, at 1 o'clock, as the examination of palace of the Emperor, and we spent several millions in forcing upon or ramming down the throats of the Chinese, tle terms we dictated. And now forsooth, a dirty pig-tailed pagan, fat as a prize pig, proud as the Chinese parvenu ever is, with an insolence so great that we hesitate to believe in it, dares to council 29, lat. 13.30 N., long. 107.15 E., British | component parts are only less dirty, thiev- and afterwards identified some of the pribarque Lieutenant, Liverpool to Shanghai; | ing, insolent, and lying than their head, soners, among others, on board the Police Capt. (Gorrie) died 7 weeks back. On the to "resist by force of arms any further Hulk. Another witness also deposed to 22nd May, John Meins, seaman, fell over- concessions to the "barbarian English"!! the attack, and to having identified some of

at Peking are carefully informed of the the attack, was next placed in the box, but remarks passed upon them by the denied or remained silent to every inquiry English journals in China. We trust made by the Court. -- Mr Francis (for Mr that this is the case. As we have said, Gaskell) appeared this morning on prison-the farce is well nigh played out. Heaven ers' behalf. Inspector Daly deposed to the the farce is well nigh played out. Heaven grant that the threat of Tseng may be carried into operation! A war, in reality ness (the boy) against the prisoners, and and not in name, might make of China, also to the identification by two or three of teeming with wealth, a glorious field for the Chinchew crew of the first, second, the civilizing powers of any European third and fourth prisoners. Books were

TO-DAY'S POLICE. (Before Mr Goodlake.)-A TAVERN Row OVER "EUCHRE,"-Sergeant O'Brien, of committed for trial at the Supreme Court, the Water Police; Jeremiah Foley, of the and the remaining five were discharged,

Army and Navy tavera; and John Smith. for merly proprietor of a tavern; were summoned to appear for having assaulted Joseph Borges, proprietor of the Liverpool Arms grogshop.—Mr Hazeland, who seemed for the complainant, stated that it appeared that defendants and the complainant had been playing cards in the Army and Navy tavoru on Monday afternoon, and that a most cowardly assault was committed by O'Brien upon Borges, while Smith held complainant's hands. O'Brien, being a police constable, ought to do everything in his power to keep the peace, instead of encouraging the commission of an offence against the license regulations. -J. Borges, (who apreared with an extensive purple halo round both eyes and signs of damage about his nose) stated that at 3.30 p.m. on Monday he was playing at cards (cuchre) for drinks with the defendant O'Brien, when the latter got "stuck" the first two rounds; then the Sergeant got "stuck" for another dollar. Sergeant then said, "Joe, play off now;" which complainant did, and O'Brien got "stuck" once more. Again another game, and again the Sergeant was "stuck," and Borges rose a winner; when some words passed, O'Brien offering to play Borges for \$2. Play being resumed, Borges lost the first and gained the second game, which "squared" the play; but here the complainant suspected cheating, said so and threw down the cards. While the war of words was going on, O'Brien hauled off and struck Borges in the nose, when Foley interfered. His hands were "grabbed" by Smith; and over Foley's head he gave O'Brien a blow on the head, because he was coming at him again ; he (Borges) never had chance of a fair blow. He got this last blow over the "heve O'B. then "larra" him go; and he said

to Maister Foley, he says, "You ought to keep a quiet house," says he; and with that Maister Fo'ey says, "You condemned off. spring of a female dog," [or words to that effect , says he, "if you say any more," he says, "I'll lick you now," says he. At HONGKONG, WEDNESDAY, JUNE 17, 1868 this stage, Maister Smith says, "Come into the back yard and wash your face," says he, as he was bleeding; and then Smith shut A STATEMENT put forth by the North | the door, after the Sergeant came in. O'Brien China Daily News that, despite previous | then became noisy, and then called upon opposition, permission is shortly to be him (Borges) to fight, or he (O'B.) would hit him. On Borges endeavouring to mines of the North records, if true, a Quiet the Sergeant, the latter again hauled off and struck Borges in the forehead, which operation (as Borges expressed it) "laid me hasten to draw public attention. Still on my back." Then Smith held Borges' more astonishing is a rumour from the hands, while the redoubtable Sergeant same source that the Chinese Govern- struck three well-planted "fisters" on or in ment have submitted the question of its | the vicinity of Borges' eyes; and then it elations to foreigners to some of the was agreed that Borges had had enough leading men in the long roll of the Chinese officialism. Our contemporary pro- to the Police. In reply to O'Brien, Borges fesses to be acquainted with the text of said that he had not a large plain ring on at the answer given by Tsen Kwo Fan to | the time, only two rings (shown); he struck the despatch calling upon him for an O'Brien once -Foley here said that he deexplicit statement of his opinions, which | nied the assault; that was the only question he would ask; he only "suppurated" the the peculiar views held by the writer, at the place and time before named, comtwo. - William Allison, seaman, stated that, plainant and defendants were playing cards, advocates upon political ground the when they somehow got to wrangling, and granting of a permission to "preach then that came to blows; they had all been Christianity" and to work the coal mines drinking, but were not drunk. He saw O'Brien strike the complainant, and also saw complainant strike O'Brien over Foley's shoulder-a sort of "down cut." Saw nothing of the back-yard affair. He had graphs, etc.—Tsen Kwo Fan remains known Borges for four or five years, but obstinately opposed to progress. Nay, had noticed no mark on his face, or any so far does he go that he even expresses | signs of his head having been "punched" his readiness to fight the foreigner on for the last month. Here Borges said that he had kept a house in Hongkong for the last eighteen years, and had never been up in Court about a row before.—Mr Goodlake assertion. So little impression have past said he was happy to hear it.—Robert wars made upon the mind of the most | Burns, watchman at a gambling house, said able of the native generals that he actu- he saw blows struck by both parties, and ally, eight years after the sack of Yuen- Foley separated them; while Foley was Ming Yuen, proposes to repel by force between them, blows were struck, O'Brien struck the first blow; and he was in uniform: they went out to wash themselves. -His Worship was sorry that card-playing should be going on in a public-house in the middle of the day, and that a constable more effectual to this end than to inform should be one of the players. There was no doubt as to the assault being committed acquainted with the tenor of Tseng's by O'Brien; but the other two were apparently not guilty of anything beyond being in the "row." He must fine O'Brien \$10. or 7 days; and had it not been for the provocation given by the expressed suspicion

Chinese not a little. But of what use is Sorgeaut much more severely. -Foley and Smith were discharged. Mahomet Fakera, keeper of a seaman's boarding house in Lascar Row, was charged with assault. Sergeant Hawes (P.C.) stated that, on Sunday at 7.30 p.m., he went to prisoner's house to search for the man Kyroolla (for whom the Coroner and the Police have issued warrants in the alleged murder case at Aberdeen), when prisoner refused admission, and, with others, hustled the constable. P. C. Sergeant Meeley also stated that he was in company with previous witness when the hustling took place. He we obtained the cession of Hongkong as believed that Kyroolla escaped during the British territory and the opening of the scuffle. His Worship observed that it was five ports originally selected, by sheer force a very serious case; prisoner knew that the constable had a perfect right to search a licensed boarding house. He would fine the prisoner \$50, or in default send him to prison for two months.

The case against the Compradore and

Coolie of the Union Dock Company was

to-day further remanded until Tuesday

the books had not been completed. It is

said that the Police have "found a clue." (Before Mr May.)-Piracy.-The seven men of the Pilot tout No. 156 were brought on remand to-day. One of the crew correborated (yesterday) the statement made by the first witness, and added that the Boat 156 fired into his junk, before giving place to the other from which the men boarded. resistance to our first demands and offers . He particularly remarked the number (156) with his gingerbread army, of which the upon the boat which first attacked them, It is said that the Chinese authorities the prisoners. A boy belonging to Boat capture of the junk or boat No. 156, to the

> produced in proof of the fact that prisoners' boat was at sea on 23d May, the day in question. Prisoners try to prove an alibi. The first three prisoners, however, were

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day, and that a constable

of the players. There was

the assault being committed

out the other two were appar-

hy of anything beyond being

gainst the Compradore and Union Dock Company was remanded until Tuesday lock, as the examination of not been completed. It is olice have "found a clue."

May.)-Piracy.-The seven ot toat No. 156 were brought lay. One of the crew corroday) the statement made by s, and added that the Boat 156 unk, before giving place to in which the men boarded. remarked the number (156) which first attacked them. identified some of the priothers, on board the Police er witness also deposed to to having identified some of A boy belonging to Boat ormerly given on account of next placed in the box, but ined silent to every inquiry ourt.—Mr Francis (for Mr red this morning on prison. spector Daly deposed to the junk or boat No. 156, to the iously made by the last witagainst the prisoners, and thication by two or three of crew of the first, second, th prisoners. Books were of of the fact that prisoners' on 23d May, the day in ques e try to prove an alibi.

e prisoners, however, werd rial at the Supreme Court ng five were discharged,

SCHEDULE CONTAINING A SPECIFICATION OF THE DEEDS, INSTRUMENTS AND WRITINGS WHICH REQUIRE TO BE STAMPED UNDER "THE STAMP (AMENDMENT) ORDINANCE, 1868," No. 5 of 1868, AND OF THE PROPER STAMPS FOR SUCH DEEDS, INSTRUMENTS AND WRITINGS-to come into force on 1st July.

1. Agreement, or any Minuto or Memorandum') of an Agreement not being under seal or of the nature of an Obligation for the payment of Money. and not specially charged with Duty under this Schedule, whether the same be only evidence of a Contract or obligatory upon the parties, and Brokers' Notes or any Document having reference to the sale or purchase of any Merchandize, given by any Broker,... Note. If two or more letters are affered in

evidence to prove an Agreement between the parties who shall have written such letters, it will be sufficient if any one of such letters be Stamped as an Agreement.

Label. Slip or Memorandum containing the heads. of any Fire or Marine Insurance to be effected. Memorandum, Letter or Agreement made for orrelating to the sale of any Goods, Wares or Merchandize, or to the sale of any Shares in any Public Company not being a Broker's Note or Document given by a Broker.

Seamen's Advance Note or Memorandum or Agreement made between the Master and Mariners of any Ship for Wages. Emigration Contract. Passage Ticket.

2. Bank Notes, or other Obligations for the payment of Money issued by any Banker or Banking Company in the Colony for local circulation and payable to bearer on demand.

3. Bills of Exchange, Promissory Notes or other Obligations for the payment of Money not included in the last preceding Article and not being Cheques or Orders for the payment of money, at sight or on demand,

Bank Cheques payable on demand to any person. to Bearer or Order, 2 cents each.

Note.—Cheques drawn out of, but payable in the Colony to be treated as Bills of Exchange. 4. Bill of Lading or Ships' Receipts where Bills of Lading are not used, for each part of every set..... EXEMPTION.

Bills of Lading for any Goods or Effects shipped by any Government Officer on account of Govern-

5. Bond or other Obligation concerning Respondentia and Bottomry, and Average Statement or Bond where no Statement is drawn up,...

6. Charter Party or any Agreement or Contract for the charter or hiring of any sea-going ship orvessel.....

7. Transfer of Shares or Stock in any Public Company, Scrip Certificate to be exempt, .......... 

9. Note of Protest, by any Commander or ) Master of Vessel, ..... 10. Any Notarial Act whatsoever not otherwise charged in the Schedule.....

11. Receipt or Discharge given for the payment of Money or in acquittal of a debt paid in Money or otherwise, when the sum received, discharged or acquitted exceeds \$10, .....

EXEMPTIONS. Letter sent by Post acknowledging the arrival of a Currency, or Promissory Note, Bill of Exchange, or any security for Money.

Receipt or Discharge written upon or contained in any Bill of Exchange, Promissory Note, Deed or other Instrument charged with Duty under this Schedule and duly Stamped, and Receipts for pay and allowances of Persons in the service of the Government, whether Civil, Naval, or Military.

12. Probates and Letters of Administration with or without the Will annexed, (Administration

13. Conveyance, Assignment or Instrument of any kind or description whatsoever not specially charged with Duty under this Schedule executed for the transfer for valuable consideration of any Property, moveable or immoveable, or of any Right, Title, Claim, or Interest in, to, or upon

Deed or other Instrument of Gift, or of Exchange or Settlement where no money consideration or a merely Nominal Money consideration

Transfer by mere Endorsement of a duly Stamped Bill of Exchange, Promissory Note or other Negotiable Instrument, or of a Bill of Lading, and Transfer by Assignment of a Policy of Insurance.

14. Mortgage,....

Where in a Mortgage the Sum secured is unlimited, | \$25 15. Re-assignment of any Mortgaged Property, ... 16. Letter or other Instrument of Hypothecation accompanying deposit of Documents of Title > \$1. to any Property.....

17. Duplicate or Counterpart of any Deed, Instrument or Writing of any description whatever chargeable with Duty under this Ordinance,..... If the Duty chargeable on the Original exceeds \$I but does not exceed \$10,.... If the Duty chargeable on the Original exceeds !

\$10 but does not exceed \$20,... If the Duty on the Original exceeds \$20,........... 83. Provided that such Duplicate or Counterpart Stamp shall be affixed upon the production of the Original Deed, Instrument or Writing bearing its

proper Stamp and not otherwise. 18. Lease or Agreement for a Lease made for a term of years or for a period determinable with one or more life or lives or otherwise contingent in consideration of a Sum of Money paid in the way of premium, fine or the like if without rent. \_19. Lease or Agreement for a Lease of any Land, House, Building or Tenement at a Rent without | 1 year & under 3 years & under Over 3 years. any payment of any sum of Money by way of fine or

Premium :--When the Rent for the Year shall not exceed \$250, Above \$ 250 and under \$ 500..... **š** 500 §1,000..... \$2,500.....

for every additional \$1,000 or part. Exempt, all Rentals under \$50. 20. Lease or Agreement for a Lease of any) Land, House, Building or Tenement, stipulating ( for a Rent granted in consideration of a fine or

Note .- A Lease, executed in pursuance of a duly Stamped Agreement for the same, shall require a Stamp of One Dollar only, to be affixed on production of such Agreement.

21. Every Instrument in Writing under seal) not otherwise specially charged with Duty under \ \$10. this Schedule, 22. Policies of Marine Insurance and every copy, 10 cents each,

value of such Notes in Circulation.

Not exceeding \$100, if drawn singly, \$!

If in sets, for each part of a set, \$0

Exceeding \$100 and not exiding \$3,000,— If drawn singly, If in sets, for each part of a set, Exceeding \$3,000,-

If in sets, for each part of a set,

If drawn ringly,

50 cents for every \$1,000 or part of

Every 100 tons over Copy Charter under (each)

The same ad valorem Ruty as on a Convalue of the Estate and Effects for or in respect of which such Probate or Letters of Administration shall be granted, exclusive of what the deceased shall have been possessed of or entitled to as a Trustee for any other Person or Persons, and not

25 cents for every \$100 or part of \$100 of the consideration Money or amount secured up to \$1,000, and \$2 for every \$1,000 or part of \$1,000 after the first \$1,000.

ben**efici**ally.

\$1 on first \$1,000 or part of \$1,000 and 50 cents on every other \$1,000 or part thereof.

25c on every \$5,000 or part of \$5,000.

The same duty as the Original when such Duty does not exceed \$1.

The same ad valorem Stamp as or Conveyance. See Article 13.

> \$ c. 0.50 1.00 2.002.00 4.00 4.008.00 10 00 20.00

2.50 5.00A Stamp of value equal to the joint value of the Stamps for a Convey-

23. Articles of Clerkship, or Contract whereby any person shall first become bound to serve as a ( Clerk, in order to his admission as an Attorney (

25. Copartnership Deed or other Instrument of ... | \$5. 26. Cognovit and Arbitration Award. \$1

GENERAL EXEMPTIONS. Any Deed, Instrument or Writing of any kind whatsoever made or executed by or on behalf of Her Majesty or of any Department of Her Majesty's Service, or whereby any Property or Interest is transferred to or any Contract of any kind whatsoever is made with Her Majesty or any Person for or on behalf of Her Majesty or any such Department as aforesaid.

Note. - The foregoing exemption does not extend to any Deed, Instrument or Writing, executed by the Registrar of the Supreme Court as Official Administrator or by a Receiver appointed by any Court, or to any Deed, Instrument, or Writing rendered necessary by any Ordinance or by the order of any Court; neither does it extend to a sale made for the recovery of an arrear of Revenue or Rent or in satisfaction of a Decree or Order of Court, in any of which cases the purchaser shall be required to pay in addition to the purchase money the amount of the requisite Stamp.

THE FALL OF THEODORE.

I in Europe to which it would not be form (Spectator, May 2) idable; raise it to the size of the force The little cloud of which we spoke a which, in 1857, sixteen thousand miles A Stamp Duty of two thirds per cent fortnight since that has so long been rolling from home, invaded and re-conquered Inup and over the Abyssinian hills has burst dia, and the first of military monarchies at last, and Theodore and his sovereignty would feel that its resources were severely To be collected monthly on a State- have alike disappeared. Never in modern strained. The supply of resources is not ment thereof to be furnished by each | warfare has so romantic an expedition had the English difficulty, but the skill to use Banker or Banking Company to the so perfect and dramatic a conclusion. No them; it is as difficult to us to create a Collector of Stamp Revenue, at the need any more to defend Sir Robert Napier | perfect corps d'armée of 5,000 men as a perfrom the charge of want of "dash." The feet army of 50,000, and in performing the Banker or the Manager or Agent hour for which all his farseeing prepara- task Sir Robert Napier has shown us all and Accountant of such Banking | tions had been made at length arrived, the | our strength is not yet neutralized by senile enemy to reach whom he had traversed so foolishness. The Continent makes no mismany Alps was at last in sight, and the takes as to its neighbours' power of slaying; youngest hot brain in the British Army and, in our judgment, the five millions we could not have sprung upon the foe with | shall have spent in Abyssinia is amply reswifter or more irresistible impetus than paid by the Continental verdict that there did the old Engineer, the "Addiscombe is no knowing the English, no safety in \$0.75 man" who seemed to critics at home so ever reckoning that they are fairly out of cautious and so slow. A single telegram, the great game. It is as easy, if the and England recognized with a flash of Householder Parliament chooses, to reorgainsight what India had long known, that nize the British Army on the principle sucthe old Indian Army had produced one cessful in Abyssinia, undivided authority, more soldier of the stamp England so as to allow it to be rendered powerless by a specially needs, the organizing dare-devil, footman-like reverence for an always inthe man who can lead a forlorn hope, or jurious and now dying Royal prerogative. plan out an African campaign; who, if need be; will harl a minute brigade upon a disciplined army of fifteen times its strength LYON V. HOME. -as he did in 1858-or, as in 1867, will

The singular case which has for some foresee that in the depths of an African days occupied the Court of Chancery suc mountain range he may have ravines to gests some obvious considerations. Of cross over which elephants alone can be course there are vulgarminded persons who trusted to convey artillery, and, under a will take a coarse view of the whole affair storm of ridicule and protest, will insist Mr Home, according to them, is a cheat o that the costly, greedy beasts shall form a rather higher order than the average. H part of the expedition. The long moun- is a Cagliostro of a more modest type. He tain march in which nothing was forgotten, has persuaded an old lady to give him and nothing left to chance, was crowned by £30,000 down, with as much more at he one of the most daring and romantic feats death, by a gross imposture. If he did not of arms ever performed, a feat which reads take money at the doors, after the fashion more like one of the exploits of the great of the more vulgar tribe of impostors, it founder of the Marhatta power than any- was only because he was flying at higher thing done by the general of a civilized game. If, as is suggested, the lady of army. The feat was the greater because it seventy-five gave him the money as a kind was, as we are almost certain, performed of retaining fee to induce him to marry her.

solely to keep faith with our Abyssinian it does not mend matters much. A man allies. Long before Parliament breaks up who could take and keep this money under all that will remain to testify to the Abys. such circumstances must be devoid of the sinian War will be a new name on the roll most ordinary feelings of a gentleman, and of Peers, and the subscription of one pound one could believe him guilty of any addi to be demanded from every man with £100 | tional depth of baseness and imposition. a year. For that, surely not very ex a ist- We cannot, however, argue upon this ing, price the Anglo-Indian Chief has swept | hypothesis, because spirit-rapping is still an

away the boldest and the worst of African open question, and Mr Home may possibly tryants, has conquered a country which be a gentleman of the highest character, as baffled the early Caliphs, and which even also because it is comparatively uninterestgeographers scarcely profess to know; and ing. If spirit-rapping is merely a piece of 400 miles in the interior of Africa, amilst legerdemain, a loftier branch of the art of a system of mountains as defensible as the thimble-rigging or of the Davenport trick, Himalayas, has rescued a few obscure men as practised daily in our streets, there is to whose protection the British faith was little more to be said about it. It proves pledged, and slain the king who ventured that there are enough fools in the world to think that pledge was irredeemable. keep the knaves alive, a proposition which The honour of Great Britain has been can hardly claim the merit of novelty. Let redeemed, and throughout Asia, wherever us therefore suppose, for the sake of argu-

a Mohammedan pilgrim moves-and in ment, that everything which Mr Home says Asia the Mohammedan pilgrim is abiqui- is strictly accurate, that he is a martyr in tous-men will repeat in fifty dialects the the cause of truth, and has been cruelly new story which so strongly illustrates the exposed to the laughter of a sceptical age, power of the white masters of India, which which is really unworthy of the revelations is still counted by every Mohammedan of these latter days. There are still two among the rightful possessions of the hypotheses which are open to us, under either of which the position of spirit-rappers The gain in prestige, however, considerain the world would require some careful ble as it will prove, is but a trifle, compared with the gain in our own self-confidence. In the first place, Mr Home, so far as we

We can, then, be efficient, can do the work understand his own parrative, is the inwe intend to do without blunder, or disasdirect cause of certain singular phenomena. ter, or endless liability. The utter ineffi-When he was six months old, tables conciency of the English departments, their tracted a habit of rapping in his presence. cumbrousness, and their cost, had begun to As he grew up the manifestations became daunt the country, till it almost believed still more singular. Not only did umbrelthat a foreign expedition was beyond its las occasionally communicate to him their strength, that except for a great war amidst views of things in general, but the laws of which departments could be revolutionized gravitation took to playing strange tricks, it was powerless, that it could not rid itself especially in the dark. Mr Home was of the risk of humiliating and dangerous occasionally taken up to the ceiling and put failure. So extreme was the depression, down again unhurt. Moreover, he actually that at the outset of this very campaign saw and held conversations with what he scarcely any one ventured to hope for a su- took for ghosts. To account for these preme success. Everybody who had ever | various phenomena Mr Home invented a suffered from African fever found a hearing | theory that they were caused by spirits for his most most gloomy predictions. There I is merely a hypothesis which we are at would be a failure of water, a failure of perfect liberty to reject, even if we accept bread, a failure of transport. The army the truth of the phenomena. The spirits would be destroyed by sunstroke and dy- of which he speaks are as much imaginary sentery, the beasts would be killed by the causes as the fetishes which a negro suptsetse, the stores would be stolen by the poses to account for thunder or rain or the people, and all that would remain from the action of a poison. We never meet dis-

expedition would be the lesson that Africa embodied spirits in any other walk of life, and the people who inhabit it are alike ac- and when we say that a spirit has rapped cursed; that Englishmen ought not to en- on a table we are not referring the raps to ter the continent, or if they enter it, ought any agency with which we are otherwise to be left to a cruel but thoroughly deserved acquainted. The only definition of the fate. All such predictions chimed in with spirit is that unknown thing which prothe national mood, and were listened to by | duces the raps, and the verbal explanation statesmen and soldiers, and but that the of the raps remains purely verbal. They country had in some sulky fashion admitted | are still an unaccountable phenomenon, or. its duty to itself, would in the eleventh at least, a phenomenon still unaccounted

hour have prevented the expedition. For- for. The raps may be merely due to an tunately the sense of duty is still all-power- unconscious action of Mr Home himself. ful with Englishmen, and the work being | The spirits which he sees, for example, may done reluctantly, was done patiently and have no more external reality than his well. A single individual was declared dreams. The habit of going up to the Dictator, that individual was selected in | ceiling is certainly singular, but experience India, where men still believe that conquest | may possibly show us that under certain is one of the duties of civilization, the conditions people do rise into the air with-"British taxpayer" was postponed for an out the intervention of a rope and a gallows. instant to the Briton, the "man who had If, indeed, it were proved that the phenobeen in Africa" was believed, but disre mena produced at a scance involved a knowgarded, and the old conditions being once ledge of things which could not be known more accepted, the old result was once more to the assistants, there would be a proof of obtained. Sir Robert Napier won Magdala some sort of external agency. But it is as Clive won Plassey, in the teeth alike plain that nothing of the kind happens. of the counsel of the wise and of the The raps give us no news; we have heard ance in consideration of the fine wishes of the mulitude. We may never nothing from them of the suicide of King repeat the experiment, but, at least, we Theodore, or even of the winner of the Two have learned, or rather re-learned, the Thousand. Nothing would be easier than

logical laws which we have not hitherto discovered; but they may be nearly all explained on the supposition that Mr Home produces the raps without knowing it the small residuum may be set down to the illusions which are so easily produced in excited and superstitions minds. we are simply asked to believe that Mr Home unconsciously produces various phenomena which a cheat would produce consciously; and as Mr Robert Chambers and Mr Gerard Massey believe Mr Home to be a thoroughly honest man, we shall of course have no difficulty in accepting the belief. Only, it is a very awkward power, and if a pickpocket was allowed to set up the same plea and to declare that an agency, of which he was perfectly unconscious, had transfered £30,000 worth of bank notes into his pockets, we should require very strong evidence to character.

Let us suppose, however, Mr Homo's theory about spirits is accepted. In this case, the misfortune is that the spirits on his own showing are such a very bad lot. They play practical jokes, they talk incredible nonsense, they licenormously, and contradict each other freely. Mr Home claims some credit for proving to the sceptical the the still further Cathay; the more exciting, have induced our widows to adopt an admir- renewing fish of our own stormy gulf." able son, some lying scoundrel, the late | What he means to say is, that he sells tea, Mr Palmer for example, or the spirit of coffee, and codfish, cheap for cash. Judas Iscariot, may get into a chair, and spread the most abominable calumnies about him. If spirits can get into furni-

ture, perhaps they can punch each other's possible consequences to our peace of mind. In the American war the enemy used to intercept the telegraphic wires and send false messages for the benefit of their antagonists. It seems that spirits adopt a similar device, and scramble for the only line of communication open from their world to ours. Unless they learn better manners it is really doubtful whether they should be allowed to speak to us at all.

Spiritual Athenaum might have done good service by arranging some kind of postal convention to secure the authenticity of the

Indeed, in either of the cases we have put, it seems plain that some restrictions upon the intercourse are urgently required, If neither spirits nor mediums can arrange a system to command rublic confidence. society should take the matter in hand and insist upon some spiritual treaty. The plainest consideration is that the mediums from making money by their trade. If it to a lady who accused him of being a cheat; but he might have given it to a

charity, or founded an institution for the due investigation of spiritual phenomena, The reasons are only too obvious. If the phenomena are merely due to natural causes and therefore a subject of investigation for philosophers, the first thing is to know accurately what they are. The power of winning heavy money prizes by this strange endowment is as fatal to its use as it is to Will not every scamp and cheat in the three kingdoms, to say nothing of America, be encouraged in the strongest way to produce spurious imitations of these authentic ap pearances? All possibility of finding the genuine article will disappear when it i apart, kept at the public expense, and

philosophers of the day, until the laws of these anomalous phenomena have been satisfactorily determined. Surely Professor Royal Institution, and every man of science would be glad to subscribe a moderate sum to keep him as most singular of recorded curiosities. If he stands the inquiry, he would be cheap at £30,000 from the na tion; but it is wrong that the support of such a wonder should be left to privat

energy, especially to that of excitable old If, on the other hand, Mr Home is really helped by spirits, the necessity is still plainer for both parties. The spirits are such disreputable persons that we wonder he can

trust himself in their hands. The scrape into which he has already fallen is a sufficient warning to him; he can hardly be willing, at least, to have more dealings with the objectionable spirit which introduced him to Mrs. Lyon. The argument, as seen from Mrs. Lyon's side, is still stronger. When a spirit mixes itself up with the transactions of this world, there is hitherto no ponsible for the consequences of their beha | again." viour, even if they are nothing but agents, simply because we cannot get at the prin cipals. Moreover, we cannot but fear that continued interference in the affairs of this world is likely to have a bad eff ct on such unprincipled and irresponsible agents as the spirits themselves. In the interests both of the spirits and ourselves we should wish

transactions as clear as possible from all ex-It is difficult to feel much sympathy with the victim of such a business, whatever may be Mrs. Lyon's folly; she may be a silly old masters in the mason, plaster, polishing, lady, or rather too acute for poor Mr. marble, whitesmith, glazier, joinery, and Home; and in this particular case she may carpentery trades have consented to or may not have precluded herself from a diminish the day's labour by one hourremedy at the hands of the court. But as that is to say, from twelve to eleven hours a general principle there can be no doubt -and to increase the wages of the men by that the possibility of such transactions 10 per cent. The masters of the locksmith, taking place with impunity must be at least mechanic, and founding trades have conan encouragement to impostors, and, if sented to the reduction of one hour s labour there are any among the spiritualists besides Mr. Home, to a confusion of the hou- LEAVING HIS VERDICT.—"I remember," Gazette May 2,

that we may keep at least our monetary

An Italian correspondent says that the principles which make such experiments to place beyond all doubt the possession of brigands have been at work again near. successful,—undivided authority, unlimited any kind of knowledge unattainable by Paestum. This time they have tried the power, a definite task, and a certainty of other means; and as it is never even seri- bold dodge of disguising themselves as home support. Double that army, leaving ously attempted to do so, we may assume Government soldiers, and succeeded in it the same leader, with the same powers, that the knowledge is not possessed. Un- carrying off Baron Bollelli, the same unfor- as the future residence of Exchange operaconquer; treble it, and there is no power stated, there must be some curious psycho- his sars by them on a former occasion.

MISCELLANEOUS.

HAPPY HOME.—Six things are requisite to create "a happy home." Integrity must be the architect and tidiness the upholsterer. It must be warmed by affection and lighted up with cheerfulness. and industry must be the ventilator, renewing the atmosphere and bringing in fresh salubrity day by day; while over all, as a protecting glory and canopy, nothing will suffice except the glory of God.

A man being examined in an important case, counsel found it extremely difficult to extract the whole truth from him. His ingenuity and ignorance combined enabled him to evade the questions. At last the lawyer, losing patience, exclaimed. "Why, sir, do you prevaricate so much ?'- The witness supposing he referred to his peculiar manner of utterance, convulsed the court and audience by replying indignantly, "I would like to know how a fellow can help prevaricating when he has lost three of his front teeth?

A grocer in Quebec advertises "the peculiar delicacies of the far-off Ind, and the finely-flavoured and humanizing leaf of existence of another world. But the inst though not less delicious berry of Brazil, piring thought that we may be possibly al- and the spices, sugars, and luscious fruits lowed to rap on tables after our death is of the Antilles; the sugared condiments very much damped by the reflection of the and the blood-enriching wines of the Mebad company we shall meet. When we diterranean, and the salt-cured and brain-

A ROLAND FOR AN OLIVER.—A testy, illnatured old gentleman, being importuned by a poor woman to buy some things, said, "Take them to Mr Cox" (Mr Cox is a blind man) "and let him see them, and if he likes them, I'll buy them." The nextmorning an unstamped letter came for the old gentleman by post, for which he had to pay twopence. The contents of the letter were as follows: "Sir, if you take the letter to Mr Cox, and let him see it, perhaps he will pay the twopence."

Puzzling.—An American paper says that a tall Eastern girl, named Short, long loved a big Mr Little, while Mr Little loved a lass named Long. To make a long story short, Little proposed to Long, and Short longed to be even with Little's shortcomings. So Short, meeting Long, threatened to marry Little before Long, which caused Little in a short time to marry Long. Query : did tall Short love big Little less because Little loved Long?

THE EVIL OF DEAFNESS.—One day, at. the house of the late Mr. Pease ( Dean of Ely), just as the cloth was being removed, should be as much as possible discouraged the subject of discourse happened to be that of an extraordinary mortality amongst Mr Home as a refined and honourable gen- | the lawyers. - " We have lost," said a gentleman had only considered the matter a tleman, "not less than six eminent barlittle, we feel certain that he would have risters in as many mouths." The dean, got rid of the £30,000. Perhaps it would who was quite deaf, rose as his friend very have been immoral to have restored | finished ins remarks, and gave the company grace :- " For this and overy other mercy, the Lord's holy name be praised."

What is the key-note of good-breeding?

THE Leeds and Liverpool Carrying Company were fined, on Saturday, in the full penalty of £10 and costs, for illegally placing more than 6000 lb. of gunpowder on one of their flats at Liverpool. The powder was stowed on board the flat within four the fair running of race-horses. Home has feet of the chimney, the cabin fire being by causes out of his own control been put burning at the time. The defendants a into possesion of many thousand pounds. short time ago removed five tons of gunpowder under similar circumstances, and they had been cautioned on the subject. The magistrate expressed his regret that he was not able to double the fine.

A young lady, accustomed to be worshipned by every man whom she met, found lost in the multitude of Brummagem in- herself compelled to receive one morning itations. Mr Home ought really to be set a noted wit and misogynist. She played off the whole repertoire of her charms on carefully examined by the first experimental the insensate wretch in vain. At last, disgusted with her want of success (she hapnened to be dressed for riding), she rose abruptly, when her habit becoming entan-Tyndall would find lodgings for him in the gled in the gentleman's feet, she brought him accidentally on his knees. He rescued himself from his awkward position with the not inapt quotation-" The force of habit could no further go. "-Tomahawk.

> A Shrewd Judge, -- A rich man made his will, leaving all he had to a company of his fellow-citizens to dispose of, but reserving to his right heir " such a portion as pleaseth them." The heir having sued the company for his share of the property, the judge inquired whether they wished to carry out the will of the testator, and if so, what provision they proposed making for the heir !-" He shall have a tenth part," said they, "and we will have the nine."\_ "Take then," said the judge, "the tenth part to yourselves, and leave the rest to the heir; for by the will he is to have what part pleaseth you."

DEBTORS' PRISON IN LONDON.—The Star in an account of the debtors' prisons of way known of bringing an action against it. London, says—"It may shock some people If it perjures itself, it cannot even be sen- who imagine that imprisonment for debt is tenced to imprisonment in a table. It is non extant, to learn that there are at the highly desirable in every way that such ob- present moment two men in Whitecross ectionable characters should have as little | Street Prison who have been respectively as possible to do with the transfer of funds, incarcerated 24 and 7 years, first in the until we have some better guarantee for Queen's Bench, and now in Whitecross their sincerity and good intentions. The Street County Court debtors may still be persons who act as their agents must be res- imprisoned for the same debt over and over

No one but a French savan would ever have thought of this :- "A French savan has likened the quickness of volition in an animal to the telegraph. He tells his class :- When a whale is harpooned the nerve affected instantly telegraphs to the creature's brain, 'Harpoon in tail,' upon which the brain telegraphs back, 'Jerk tail and upset boat." What a wonderful thing

TERMINATION OF THE STRIKE AT GENEVA. -The result of the strike has been that the and to an increase of 5 per cent in wages. est men with the rogues. - Pall Mult says Lord Biden, "Mr Justice Gould trylug a case at York, and when he had proceeded for about two hours, he observed, Here are only eleven jurymen in the box, where is the twelfth "- Please you, my lord,' said one of the eleven, 'he has gone away about some other business, but he has. left his verdict with me !""

and there is no empire in Asia it could not doubtedly, if the phenomena are accurately tunate gentleman who lost one or both of tors, what would that place probably be i-

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## For Sale.

FOR SALE. Lot of Superior Old PORT Th. Cy. Sandeman, Oporto. IADEIRA, IPAGNE, COGNAC. erior Hungarian WINES WM. PUSTAU & Co. August 6, 1867.

FOR SALE. MM & Co.'s CHAMPAGNE Co.'s HOCK & MOSELLE

th's SHERRY and PORT CTIN, WHISKEY. rice's BRANDY. LE, draught and bottle. GUINNESS' STOUT. Sons' PURTER. OB. S. WALKER & Co. November 20, 1867.

OFF! SELLING OFF!! ELLING OFF!!! AT SACRIFICES!! ENDID BARGAINS!!! ER & CLAUSSEN jounce that they are Selling stocks of the undermentioned voice prices, consisting of-Oress FROCK and Walking

Angola Walking, Shooting id Sac Coats Witney YACHT JACKETS l OVER COATS. and Merino COATS. i: Dress TROUSERS. kskin, Angola and Tweed TROUSERS. od Merino TROUSERS. olored Linen TROUSERS ack Dress VESTS. in and Angola VESTS. o and Alpaca VESTS. rcella and Linen VESTS. ared Linea VESTS.

of PIECE GOODS, compris-Blue Broad CLOTHS and DOU: KINS. BUCKSKINS, ANGOLAS. DS and FLANNELS, of Season's Patterns. w assortment of HOSIERY and SHIRTS of-H. with Linen FRONTS, &c. and Wool SHIRTS. tton, Lambswool and Flannel RS and UNDER VESTS. . Cotton and Lambswool HALF HOSE. ES' COTTON HOSE. Kid and Driving GLOVES. SCARFS, TIES, Cholera Cambric HANDKERCHIEFS ilk. Shell and Felt HATS, the newest Shapes. n's BOOTS and SHOES LAS, Walking STICKS, Cloth d Hair BRUSHES. UMERY, Fancy SOAPS, at variety of other GOODS. LER AND CLAUSSEN Queen's Road. February 5, 1868.

ALIDS AND OTHERS. ed, ex "REIVER," from Cal ome very fine GUAVA JELLY VI TORIA DISPENSARY Hongkong.

g, May 7, 1868. LESTMENT FOR THE OPEN ORTS IN JAPAN. ALE AT INVOICE COST. MAN Printing Establishment new, containing one Cylinder e in Hamburg, a small hand at quantity of Fancy and runwrought iron cheats, &c.; every respect. Delivery may nce. Invoice price \$2,000. articulars, apply to C. A. SAINT, or to

DE SOUZA & Co. 4. March 6, 1868. FOR SALE. rable PROPERTY on Queen's

lately occupied by Messrs NEDY & Co. her particulars, apply to SMITH, ARCHER & Co. g, September 2, 1867.

FOR SALE. CUBIC FEET MANILA TIMBER, to arrive per que "MARIA MORTON." NVAAN BROTHERS & Co.

g. February 26, 1868. FOR SALE. V METAL, 13 to 28 oz. Muntz

JOHN BURD & Co. bg, April 5, 1867, I'S BRANDY in I doz. cases. SHERRY ,, 3

CLARET BIRLEY & Co. g, April 9, 1867. FOR SALE.

V METAL and NAILS, 18 to CLARET, St. Pierre, 1852. CHAMPAGNE, H. PIPER & S OF WINE, in Boxes of 1 doz.

RAYNAL & Co. ug, October 1, 1866. IE, Piesse & Lubin's Fine As-

ment of PERFUMES. & Sons' BOOTS. e, at greatly Reduced Prices, by JULES EUZIERE.

Hair Dressing Room, Up-stairs. ng, December 4, 1867. FOR SALE, . Lots to suit Purchasers.

pper SHEATHING and NAILS. position NAILS. AGNE.

HOCK. In glass, all of supes rior quality.

ALE ALE. CARLOWITZ & Co.

ng, March 19, 1868. Published by CHARLES ABRAHAM l'reprietor, at No. 2, Wyndham Victoria, Hongkong

## For Sale.

HOICE BALDWIN APPLES, \$0.7 PER DOZEN. ICE HOUSE. May 19th, 1868.

FOR SALE. Just Arrived. A BROADWOOD'S Grand PIANOS, may Z be had at Wholesale Price. Address "A.," Office of this paper.

Hongkong, December 31, 1867.

CIGARS AND CHEROOTS. AVITE CIGARS and CHEROOTS, For Sale by EDWARD J. SAGE.

Hongkong, June 8, 1868. COCIAL LIFE OF THE CHINESE, in 2 Volumes, by Revd. Justus DOOLITTLE, is For Sale at Messrs LANE, CRAWFORD & Co., Hongkong and Shanghai. Price, \$5.00.

FOR SALE. Ex "ESTAFETTE" and other Arrivals. ENUINE AVH GIN in red cases, 15

Genuine AVH GIN, in white bottles. Palm-tree Brand GIN, in 15 squares. Dutch CURACOA, in stone bottles. At LAMMERT, ATKINSON & Co. Hongkong, May 22, 1868.

Docks.

HONGKONG AND WHAMPOA DOCK COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL.—\$750,000. IN 1,500 SHARES, OF \$500 EACH.

THE COMPANY'S DOCKS at ABER DEEN and WHAMPOA are in full working order, and the attention of Shipowners is respectfully solicited to the advantages which these Establishments offer for the Docking and Repair of Vessels. The following description of the Premise is submitted for the information of the

> ABERDEEN DOCK DOCK No. 1.

Built of GRANITE. Length, Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 182 ,, Neap Tides, 16 ...

NEW DOCK, No. 2. Built of GRANITE. Length, Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 24 Neap Tides, This Dook is now under course of con-

atruction. WHAMPOA DOCKS. DOCK A.

Built of GRANITE. Length, Breadtn Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 16 a 17 ft. Neap Tides, 13 alo,,

This can be used either as one or two DOCK B. Built of GRANITE. Length,

Breadth, Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 18 The above are the largest Docks in China and they are fitted with every appliance in the way of Caissons, powerful Steam Pumps, &c., to ensure safety and despatch in work.

DOCK  $C_{i}$ Built of Wood. Length, Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 14: Neap Tides. Fitted with Caissons and Steam Pumps.

Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 12.6 ,,

Neap Tides, 9.6.

Depth of Water at Spring Tides, 11 D. and E. are Mud Dooks available for small vessels, at very low rates.

The Workshops on the Premises, both at Aberdeen and Whampoa, possess every appliance necessary for the Repairs of Ships or Steam Machinery. The Engineer's Shops are supplied with Lathes, Planing, Screwing, Cutting, Punching Machines, &c., &c. -capable of executing work on the largest scale, and Blacksmith's Shops are equally well supplied with plant, and the work is to entirely carried on under the Supervision of experienced Europeans.

Powerful Lifting Shears stand on a Jetty alongside where vessels can lie in 24 feet | Share, and all subsequent calls, and to water and take in or out boilers, masts, &c. BOILERMAKERS' DEPARTMENT. The company in addition to executing

Repairs are prepared to tender for supplying new Boilers to Steam-ships for constructing which they have great facilities. Iron and Brass Castings, either for Ships

utmost despatch. The Company's Stores will (when re quired) supply at moderate rates all the necessaries for Shipwork, such as Paint,

or general purposes, areexecuted with the

Copper, Canvas, &c., &c. STEAM TUG. The Company's powerful Steam Tug the capital should be 1,500,000 in 1,500 Shares of Tls. 1,000 each; l'aid up Capital, in readiness to Tow Sailing Vessels from Tls. 300,000 or Tls. 200 per Share, and that

Hongkong to the Dock free of charge, and the Committee be authorized to issue a will take them back o to Sea at reduced prospectus inviting applications for Shares Rates,

For further particulars, apply at the Office of the Company, d'Aguillar Street, Hongkong. JOHN S. LAPRAIK,

N. B .- The Consignees or Master of any Vessel sceing reason to complain of the work tione in the Docks, or in any way respectinthe Dock arrangements, should address the Secretary on the subject-when their complaints will receive the immediate attention of the Directors of the Company. Hongkong, October 13, 1866.

THE UNION DOCK COMPANY OF HONGKONG & WHAMPOA, LIMITED.

HE Company respectfully beg to call the attention of Ship Owners, Consignees and Masters of Vessels to their establishments at Whampon and Hongkong, which offer every facility for the docking and repairs of Vessels of all classes. Their Docks at Whampoa are in good working order and are numped out by

Steam, and the workshops comprise the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker, and Machinery works. Old and New, by the case or Invoice. | Materials supplied of the best kind and on the most reasonable terms. A jetty with a pair of powerful lifting shears, alongside of 22ju which masts and boilers can be taken out of application to be as follows:--

Their Hongkong establishment (lately known as Messra Thus. Hunt & Co.'s Wanchi Shipyard) comprises also the different departments of Shipwright, Blacksmith, Boilermaker and Machinery works Hongkong, March 20, 1868. 20mar-69 and possesses a pair of lifting shears. their Granite Dock at Kowloon most ad-

vantageously situated, solidly built, and o full dimensions to admit the docking of any Vessel coming to this harbour, will be com pleted in a very short time. The Steam Tug "LITTLE ORPHAN is always in readiness to tow Vessels to Dock, free of charge, and to sea, or nev berth, at reduced rates.

All works carried on under the superintendence of experienced European foremen. For particulars, apply to A. D. MITCHELL,

N.B.—Consignees or Masters of Vessels having cause to complain of the works done at the Docks or at Hongkong, will please address their complaints to the Office of the Company, which will receive the immediate attenion of the Directors. Hongkong, April 28, 1868.

## Insurances.

NOTICE. NORTHERN ASSURANCE COMPANY 17ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances:---

Not exceeding one month, ...... f of the Annual Rate, Above one month and not exceeding 3 months, ......  $\frac{1}{2}$ Above 3 months

and not exceeding 6 menths .... Above 6 months.... the full annual rate. TURNER & Co. Agents.

Hongkong, April 13, 1868. THE NORTH-CHINA INSURANCE

COMPANY. (Established 1st January, 1863.) CAPITAL, TLS. 1,500,000, IN 1,500 SHARES, FOR TLS. 1,0"9 EACH.

Paid up Capital, Taels 300,000, or Taels 200 per Share. Provisional Committee. W. J. BRYANS, Esq., Chairman. (Messrs Turner & Co.) F. H. BELL, Esq.

(Messis W. R. Adamson & Co.) MICHIE, Esq. (Messrs Chapman, King & Co.) E. H. LAVERS, Esq. (Messrs Gilman & Co.)

'. Porter, Esq. (Messrs Gibb, Livingston & Co.)

Directors of the Company, 1866-68. T a General Meeting held on Tuesday the 12th day of May, 1868, the following Resolutions were passed, relative to the continuance of the Company for a further period of three years from the 1st January, 1869; and Notice is hereby given that applications for Shares in the annexed Form, will be received at the Offices of the Company until 31st October, 1868,

Applications for Shares from Persons not esident in Shanghai, must be accompanied by a Power of Attorney to their Agents to sign the Deed of Settlement on their behalf and generally to represent them in all matters connected with the Company. In accordance with the Resolution passed at the meeting of 18th November, 1867, a

separate Office of the Company will opened in London, on 1st January, 1869. By order of the Court of Directors. JOHN S. MACKINTOSH.

Secretary. Shanghai, May 15, 1868.

Form of Application for Shares. To the Provisional Committee of the North CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

GENTLEMEN. hereby request that you will allot Shares in the above Company, and agree to accept such Shares, or any less number you may allot to agree to pay the first call of Tls. 200 per subscribe to the Deed of Settlement whenever required to do so.

Gentlemen. Your obedient Servant

Resolutions referred to above. RES. I.—That a Company to be called the "North-China Insurance Company?" shall be formed for a further period of three years, from 1st January, 1869 to 31st Dec.

RES. IL -That the Directors for the time being of the present Company be appointed to act as a Provisional Committee to organize the new Company.

Rgs. III.—That this meeting recommends that the Provisional Committee should adopt as the basis of the new Company that and to proceed with the allotment. 3100

NORTH CHINA INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE is hereby given that an Agency Macao, under the care of Messrs Margesson & Co., and that Captain Carroll has been appointed Surveyor for the Company at that Port.

By order of the Court of Directors. JOHN S. MACKINTOSH, Secretary. Shanghai, September 28, 1867.

## Insurances

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED.

CAPITAL \$2,000,000, IN 2,000 SHARES OF \$1,000 EACH.

\$100 per Share to be paid on Allotment, and \$100 six mouths after Allotment.

ITH reference to the following Resolutions passed at a Meeting of the Shareholders of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company held on the 8th instant, applications for Shares in the Longkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited will be received by the General Managers, the form

To the General Managers and Consulting Committee of the Hongkong Fire In-BURANCE COMPANY, LIMITED, GENTLEMEN. ---

I request you to allot me One Thousand Dollars each in the above named Company, and I agree to accept such Shares, or any less number which may be allotted to me, and to pay a Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share on allotment, and a further Call of One Hundred Dollars per Share, six months after allotment, and further undertake to subscribe to the Deed of Settlement when called on to do so. I remain, Gentlemen

> Your Obedient Servant, RESOLUTIONS REFERRED TO ABOVE.

No. 1. That the General Managers and Consulting Committee are hereby authorized to adopt measures for the reconstruction of the Company as the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, Limited, on the basis proposed in the Memorandum of the 2nd April presented to this Meeting.

That the General Managers and Consulting Committee are hereby requested to receive applications for Shares in the Hong kong Fire Insurance Company, Limited and on the receipt of such applications to the extent of One Thousand Shares to cal an Extraordinary General Meeting of the Hongkong Fire Insurance Company for the purpose of authorizing its dissolution and the transfer of its assets and liabilities to the new Company.

JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers Hongkong Fire Insurance Company, N.B.—Forms of application for Shares

may be had at the Office of the Company Queen's Road. Hongkong, April 9, 1868.

HONGKONG FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. NOTICE.

ROM and after this date the following rates will be charged for Short Period-Insurances, viz:— Not exceeding) d of the Annual Rate. oue month,. Above 1 month and not ex-

ceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m'ths and not exmonths.

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers, Hongkong Fire Insurance Company

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. ALLIANCE FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY.

NOTICE. ROM and after this date the followin rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz.— Not exceeding 1 of the Annual Rate.

one month,. Above-1 month and not exceeding three months, .... Above 3 m'ths and not ex-

ceeding Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., Agents, Alliance Fire Assurance Company.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. SUN FIRE OFFICE.

THE Undersigned having been appointed AGENTS for the above Office, are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE; on the usual Terms and Conditions. Risks will also be accepted at the follow

ing Ports:--Canton, by Messrs Deacon & Co. Macao, ,, E. L. LANCA, Esq. Amoy, , Messrs Boyn & Co. Fuhchau., Messrs Kinnear & Co. Full particulars of Rates, &c., may be obtained on application to. ADAM SCOTT & Co. Agents. Hongkong, May 22, 1866.

MERCHANTS' MUTUAL MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. SAN FRANCISCO.

PAID UP CAPITAL, \$500,000.

PHE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hougkong and China for the above Company, are prepared to grant | Above 3 months and Policies at Current Rates. OLYPHANT & Co.

Hongkong, August 9 1867. NORTH BRITISH & MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY. Incorporated by Royal Charter and

Special Acts of Parliament. ESTARLISHED 1809, CAPITAL £2,000,000

ACCUMULATED FUNDS £2,233,927. ANNUAL REVENUE £497,263.

THE Undersigned Accests at Hongkong for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, to the extent of £10,000 on any Building, or on Merchandise in the same.

Hongkong, June 21, 1864.

## insurances.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILE INSURANCE COMPANY.

REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM Detached and semi-detached Dwelling-Houses removed from Town, and their Con-

Other Dwelling-Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents, . . 4 per cent per annum. Godowns, Offices, Shops, &c. and their Contents. , l per cent

per annum. GILMAN & Co., Agents North British and Mercantil Insurance Company. Hongkong, March 9, 1866.

NOTICE.

NORTH BRITISH AND MERCANTILI INSURANCE COMPANY, ROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged in Short Period Insurance, viz:— Not exceeding one of the annual rate.

Above 1 month, and not exceeding 3 months. Above 3 months, and not exceeding 6

months.

the full Annual rate Above 6 months. . GILMAN & Co... Agents, North British and Mercantile Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 7, 1868,

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY.

CAPITAL, -Two MILLION STERLING. 11HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company at this port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire, to the extent of £10,000, on Buildings

MORGAN, LAMBERT & Co. Hongkong, May 20, 1868.

NOTICE.

or on Goods stored therein.

I'HE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances. viz :— Not exceeding I month,  $\frac{1}{4}$  of the annual rate Above 1 month and not

THE QUEEN INSURANCE COMPANY

exceeding 3 months, \(\frac{1}{2}\) do. Above 3 months and not exceeding  $6, \dots, \frac{3}{4}$  do. Above 6 months,..... the full annual rate MORGÁN, LAMBERT & Co., Agents the Queen Insurance Company

Hongkong, May 20, 1868. THE LONDON ASSURANCE CORPORATION. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents of the above Corporation ar

prepared to grant Fire and Marine Insur ance on the usual Terms. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co. Hongkong, December 26, 1867. LONDON ASSURANCE CORPO-

THE following rates will in future be charged for Short Period Insurances: Three months. . . . . Six months. HOLLIDAY, WÎSE & Co.

Hongkong, April 7, 1868. NOTICE. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE COMPANY. THE following Rates will be charged in

future for short period Insurances. Not exceeding 1 month,  $\frac{1}{4}$  per cent. Above I month and not

exceeding 3 months,  $\frac{1}{2}$  do. Above 3 months and not exceeding 6,..... 4 do. the full abrual rate Above 6 months. HOLLIDAY, WISE & Co.

Hongkong, April 8, 1868. MANCHESTER FIRE ASSURANCE

COMPANY OF MANCHESTER AND LONDON. CAPITAL ONE MILLION STERLING. HE DIRECTORS have the pleasure to announce the appointment of Messrs Holliday. Wise & Co. as agents for the Company at Hongkong, Shanghae, Canton, Hankow, and Funchau, who are prepared to grant Insurances at current rates and of | viz:whom all needful information may be ob-

By Order of the Board JAS B. NORTHCOTT, Secretary, IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE

COMPANY. THE Undersigned baying been appointed Agents for the above Company at this Port, are prepared to grant Policies against Fire to the extent of \$80,000 on Buildings, or on Goods stored therein. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, August 24, 1864.

NOTICE. IMPERIAL FIRE OFFICE. TROM and after this date the following

P Rates will be charged for Short Period Insurances, viz:---Not exceeding 1 month,  $\frac{1}{2}$  of the annual rate Above I month and not exceeding 3.... not exceeding 6, ... 3

GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Company. Hongkong, AApril 7, 1868. IMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. REDUCTION IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM. TINTIL further notice the following An-

Above 6 months ..... the full annual rate.

U mual Rates will be charged for Fire Insurance, viz:---Detached and Semi-detached Dwelling Houses removed from the Town, and their ½ per cent. Contents. Other Dwelling Houses used strictly as such, and their Contents

. 🖸 per cent.

Godowns, Officers, Shops, &c. and their Contents. . 1 per cent. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., Agents, Imperial Fire Insurance Hongkong, March 6, 1865.

## insurances.

BOMBAY INSURANCE COMPANY FORBES & CO.'S CONSTITUENTS INSURANCE COMPANY.

THE Undersigued having been appointed Agents for the above Companies are prepared to accept Risks on the usual torms. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co. Hongkong, February 26, 1868.

OCEAN MARINE INSURANCE COMPANY. LONDON.

Incorrorated 1859. CAPITAL, -£1,000,000. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above Company are prepared to accept Marine risks and issue Policies at current rates.

AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co Hongkong, June 6, 1867. LONDON AND PROVINCIAL MARINI INSURANCE COMPANY. HE Undersigned having been appointed

Agents in Hongkong for the above

Company, are prepared to grant Marine Risks at current rates. AUGUSTINE HEARD & Co. Hongkong, March 6, 1868.

T the request of the Undersigned A Messrs GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co., have taken temporary charge of the following Insurance Companies :-Phonix Assurance Company Liverpool and London and Globe Insur-

London and Provincial Marine Insurance Universal Marine Insurance Companyd

SMITH, KENNEDY & Co., Hongkong, July 2, 1867.

ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY. FIRE AND LIFE.

CAPITAL, £2,000,000. (LIFE DEPARTMENT.) Pop per Cent. per annum Bonus declared during the last Fifteen Years on all Profit participating Policies of Two

The utmost liberality practised in th settlement of all Claims, with the representatives of deceased Assurers. An Assurance for any sum not exceeding £1000 can be effected with the Undersigned without referring to Head-quarters. By special authority of the Board, Claims are settled at once by the Undersigned without reference to England.

No forfeiture of Policy from unintentional mis-statement Premiums payable Half-yearly or Annually at the option of the Assured. Annual Premiums for an Assurance of £100 for the whole term of Life, including £2. 10s. per Cent. for Foreign Risk, which will be deducted during a visit to or a per-

Fees to Medical Referees paid by the

mament resident in Europe :-WITH . WITHOUT PARTICIPATION | PARTICIPATION £4 5  $\overline{6}$ 4 8 4 13 5 17

Intermediate ages charged proportionably For Forms, for effecting Life Assurances. and for any further information, apply to. ROB, S. WALKER & Co., Agents.

Hongkong, September 3, 1864. LIFE ASSURANCE. THE Undersigned have received Authority by a recent Mail to issue Life POLICIES for amounts not exceeding £1000 without reference to the Head Office, as was previously required by the Board. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, January 6, 1865. NOTICE. ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY.

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Thefull Annual Rate

THE following Rates will be charged in future for short period Insurances, Above One Month and not exceeding } } per cent. Three Months. Above Three Months

and not exceeding

Above Six Months.

FECTS. therein contained.

Detached and semi-detached.

Six Months.

ROB. S. WALKER & Co., Agents Royal Insurance Company Hongkong, April 7, 1868. REDUCTION

IN THE RATES OF PREMIUM FOR FIRE INSURANCE FITHE Undersigned have (as already intimated in their Circular dated 14th October last) received authority from the Secretary of the ROYAL INSURANCE COMPANY to Reduce the rate of Premium under certain circumstances, on PRIVATE RESIDENCES and on FURNITURE and EF-

from the Town, the rate of Premium wil be Three-quarters per Cent. in place of One per Cent. per Annum as hitherto charged and in cases of Residences, so situated, being detached or semi-detached, the rate will be further reduced to One-half per Cent. The Royal's Annual Rates for Fire In-surance on the various classes of Buildings and their contents will therefore remain as follows, until further notice, viz, :--

In cases of Dwelling-Houses removed

Dwelling-Houses (removed from the Town) and their Contents. 🖢 per cent. Other Dwelling-Houses (similarly situated) and their Contents. per cent. First Class China House and their Contents. 1½ per cent.

Agents Royal Insurance Company.

Other Risks as per special arrangement. ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

Hongkong, November 9, 1866,

Insurances.

NOTICE. HE Undersigned having received extended limits from THE ROYAL INSUR-ANCE COMPANY, are now authorised to issue Policies against Fire as follows, viz. On any one first-class Building, or on Goods stored therein - in Hongkong, \$60,000; in Macao \$45,000.

Agents Royal Insur. Company of Liverpool Hongkong, June 17, 1864. THE UNIVERSAL LIFE ASSURANCE

ROB. S. WALKER & Co.,

SOCIETY OF CALCUTTA. ESTABLISHED 1834. Subscribed Capital, ..... £500,000.

Accumulated Funds exceed £808,000. HE Undersigned are empowered to accept Life Assurances in the above Society. Full particulars given on appli-

ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, February 21, 1868.

AMICABLE INSURANCE OFFICE. HE Undersigned having been appointed Agents for the above INSURANCE OFFICE, are prepared to accept Marine Risks, and issue Policies on any first class Sailing Vessels or Steamers, on the usual terms, payable in case of loss, in CHINA, SINGAPORE, CALCUTTA, BOMBAY, or LONDON. ROB. S. WALKER & Co. Hongkong, June 17, 1864.

YANGTZE INSURANCE ASSOCIATION OF SHANGHAL

DIVIDEND of (8 per cent.) Eight A per cent has been declared on the Net Premia contributed to the above Association for the year ending 30th September, 1866. Policy HOLDERS will please send in particulars of their contribution to that date to the Undersigned.

RUSSELL & Co., Secretaries. Hongkong, September 7, 1867.

YANG-TSZE INSURANCE ASSOCIA-TION OF SHANGHAL

THE Undersigned having been appointed A Secretaries and Agents of this Association, are prepared to issue Policies upon Marine Risks at current rates of premium. Policies can be made payable in London, New York, Bombay, Calcutta, Singapore, Hongkong, Foochow and Shanghai. In addition to the usual brokerage this

Association returns to the assured of each year at the close of each current year, lifteen (16) per cent of the profits of the Company for that year divided pro rata to the amount of premium paid by each policy-holder. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, March 2, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned, Agents for the above Company are prepared to grant Policies against FIRE, on BUILDINGS and GOODS, at current rates. RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, February 6, 1867.

PACIFIC INSURANCE COMPANY OF SAN FRANCISCO. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in China for the above INSUE. INCE COMPANY are prepared to grant Policy covering Marine Risks, at the current

EUSSELL & Co.

Hongkong, July 6, 1866. BATAVIA SEA & FIRE INSURANCE COMPANY. THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Company are prepared to grant Policies against SEA RISKS, at currentrates.

RUSSELL & Co. Hongkong, April 1, 1865. LANCASHIRE INSURANCE. COMPANY.

(FIRE AND LIFE,) CAPITAL, -TWO MILLIONS STERLING. HE Undersigned are prepared to grant Policies against the Risk of FIRE on Buildings or on Goods stored therein, on Coals in Matsheds, on Goods on board Vessels and on Hulls of Vessels in Harhour, at the usual Terms and Conditions. Proposals for Life Assurances will be received, and transmitted to the Directors for their decision.

first class Lives up to £1000 on a Single For Rates of Premiums, forms of proposals or any other information apply to. ARNHOLD KARBERG & Co. Agents Hongkong & Canton. Hongkong, January 4, 1867

If required, protection will be granted on

LANCASHIRE INSURANCE COMPANY.

NOTICE. ITROM and after this date the following Rates will be charged on short period Insurances, viz:-Not exceeding \ 1 of the Annual Rate. one month. Above I month and not exceeding three months, ..... Above 3 m'ths and not exceeding -

ARNHOLD, KARBERG & Co. Agents, Lancashire Insurance Company. Hongkong, April 14, 1868. DE OOSTERLING SEA AND FIRE INSURANCE COM-

Above 6 m'ths, The full Annual Rate.

mouths.

PANY OF BATAVIA SAMARANG SEA AND FIRE INSUR-ANCE COMPA 'Y OF SAMARANG.

THE Undersigned having been appointed Agents in Hongkong for the above named Companies are prepared to grant Policies against Sea Risks on the usual SIEMSSEN & Co. Hongkong, August 1866.

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Vessel's Name.	Captain.	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Date of Arrival.	Consignees or Agents.	Destination.	Intended Despatch.
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SHANGHAI.

Merchant Sailing Vessels, from or for European, Australian and American Ports, in Harbour on June 5.

	Ship's Name,	Captain,	Flag & Rig.	Tous.	Date of Arrival.	Where from,	Destination.	Consignees or Agents.
gs u- in k.	Argonaut Cathaya Clara Babuyatl Elizabeth A. Oliver Flying Spur Forward Ho Horatio John R. Worcestor Leander Lennox Castle Lord Macaulay Maitland Neptune Ophir Rubicon Tewkesbury Titania	Dempster Nicolson Paterson Herrington McQueen Atkinson Hossack Palmer Vawn Petherick McMechen Care Coulson Hean Hoseason Fowler Deas Joues	Brit, sh. Brit bk. Brit bk. Brit, sh. Brit, sh. Amer sh. Brit, sh.	1072 700 850 619 735 942 440 844 882 693 846 798 287 410 204 1050 872	April 12 May 24 May 2 May 2 May 21 April 23 May 25 May 20 May 24 May 11 May 20 May 14 May 30 June 2 June 4 May 19 May 22	London Newcastle, N. s. w. Taiwan-foo London Sydney Liverpool New York Newcastle, N. s. w. Foodlow London Cardiff	London London London London	Frazar & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Russell & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co Gilman & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Bull, Purdon & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co Gibb, Livingston & Co Grazar & Co Senior Naval Officer W. R. Adamson & Co Birley, Worthington & Co

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Intended Vessel's Name. Destination.Despatch. CHINA & JAPAN PORTS-Br. sr. G. Homes N.G. str Siemssen & Co NAGASAKI Bob Tail Nag SHANGHAI . China t Br. bk. Laudstein & Co YOKOHAMA ...Lyeemoon OTHER PORTS-Br. str. Jardine, M. & Co
Br. str. Gibb, Livingston & Co
20th
Ger. sh. Wm. Pustau & Co
Ger. bk E. Schellhass & Co ...Glengyle ...Lightning\* CALCUTTA, &c. .. CALLAO .Golden Spur\* Br. sh. Gilman & Co LONDON Br. bk. Alfred Hogg Br. bk. Olyphant & Co NEW YORK ... Wm. Chandler Br. sh. Bosman & Co SAN FRANCISCO Am. sh. Olyphant & Co Br. bk. Captain ...J. Berteaux UNITED KINGDOM Apenrade\* Ger.bk. Wm. Pustau & Co

MEN-OF-WAR IN HONCKONG HARBOUR.

+At Canton

Marcy

5 ..... Edwards

4 .... Folsom

5 ..... Stewart

\* At Whampoa.

Name.	Flag.	Rig.	Guns.	Tons.	Captain.
			\$ 1		
Basilisk	British	steamer	. <u></u>	1031	— Hewett, F. C., Capt.
Flamer	British	naval hospital			Attached to Melville
Flamme	French	gun-boat	·		Cromence
Manila	British	gun-boat	· —		Johnson, Lieut. Comr.
Melville	British	naval hospital			R. Bernard, D.M.I.G. &c.
Maumee	U. States	steamer		800	Cushing, Lieut. Comr.
Pearl	British	sc. corvette	21	1469	John Fras Ross, Captain
Princess Charlotte	British	receiving ship	14		Commodore Oliver Jones
	ME	N-OF-WAR AT	CANI	ON.	
Chang-tsing	Chinese	gun-boat	8		Bessard

HONGKONG, MACAO AND CANTON

Customs' cruiser.

gun-boat

gun-boat

gun-boat

Chinese

Chinese

Chinese Chinese

Chun Hoi

Fee-loong

Hai-ching

Sui-tsing

Kiver Stramber.

Vessel	Flag.	Tous.	Captain.	Owners or Agents.
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Caledonia	British	227	Steward	Riach & Co
Dragon	$D_0$ .			P. & O. S. N. Co
Fame, (110 h. power)	Do.	117	Stephenson	H. & W. Dock Company's Tug
Fire Dart*	Do.		Carroll	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany
Kin Shan	Do.		Haskell	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Kiu Kiang*	Do.	617	Benning	H., C. & M. Steam-boat Co.
Lintin	Do.	69		Acheong
Little Orphan	Do.	±6	Benning	Union Dock Company's Tug.
Poyang	Do.		Laid up	H., C. and M. Steam-boat C.pany
Prince Albert	$\mathbf{Do}_{0}$		-	Q. Acheong
Sir J. Jeejeebhoy	Do.	101	Godsill	Q. Acheong
Spark	Amer.	140	Wilson	Thomas Hunt & Co
Spec	Do.	:	Graves	Thomas Hunt & Co
White Cloud  * At Whampoa	British	280		H., C. and M. Steam-boat C. pany

RECEIVING SHIPS.

	<u> </u>				
Vessel.	At	Flag & Rig.	Tons.	Captain.	Owners.
Fort William Snipe Water Witch Lady Hayes Wellington Pathfinder	Hongkong Ningpo ,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,,	B. sh. B. bk. B. sh. B. bg. B. bk. B. sh.	341 427 384	Townsend Green Lewes Partridge Bennett	P. &. O. S. N. Co Jardine, Matheson & Co Captain Lewes Jardine, Matheson & Co David Sassoon Sons & Co Jardine, Matheson & Co
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ZEALAND:—Gore

bourne and Sydney.

SAN FRANCISCO and generally:— White Evancisco

CHINA:—Suatow, Dra

CHINA:—Swatow, Dro Giles & Co. Food Co. Shanghai, H. wila, C. Karuth &

June 17, Lightning, fr June 17, Falke, North Gottsche, Bangkok, Ju Rice.—Siemssen & Co. June 17, Handy, Sie

Rice.—SIEMSSEN & Co.
June 17, Handy, Sir
Hansen, Bangkok, May
nese.
June 18, Achilles, B
T. Russell, Shanghai a
5 and 15, 2,600 tons
BIRLEY & Co.
June 18, Meteor, Sia

Chinese.
June 18, Prosperity
Vorrath, Bangkok, M
Chinese.
June 18, Otto and A:
1,337, A. C. Simousen

Petterson, Bangkok,

1,700 tons Coal.—P. &

Depart

June 18, Gipsey, for Sa 18, Yesso, for Swa 18, Avonvale, for Passen

> Per Achilles.—For Lo Per Prosperity,—29 C Per Meteor,—23 Chir

> > Shipping 1

The British ship II chardiff, reports fine winds: crossed the Equin long. 24 W.; passed Cape of Good Hope on S.; made Java head on Anjer on 21st May, can on 24th May, from the light wind as far as lathad strong breeze from squalls and heavy rain a kong on 17th June, 144 May, in China sea, spot Alsen, from Bangkok bears out

The North German Bangkok, reports in Guwind and calms, from sea had light Southerly weather until arrival.

The Hamburg ship from Shields, reports-on 22nd Feb., in long the meridian of the Car 31st March, in lat. 57 terdam Island on 20th 8th May; arrived at and left on 17th; can e 29th May, up to Ohin ther and calms, then rain, winds from the val in Hougkong on out. On 11th May, spoke the British barq cutta bound to Batan 15th May, off Anjer, Moss Trooper, from Singapore, 127 days on Juva Sea, spoke the Br from Swan River box days out; on 21st May, the British ship Anne.

The Siemese ship Pakok, reports variable was in Gulf of Sian thence had steady S. weather and squalls unkong.

The Siamese barque kok, reports thence to weather, then strong squally weather till are

The Siamese ship Hare reports fine weather a Southerly as far as Pulolight S. W. monsoon, wuntil arrival in Hongke

The British steamer had via Foochow, report had had foggy weather from thence fine weath. The steam-ship Unit 14th instant for Amoy Amoy, passed the Britrom Manila to Amore Everest left Foochow Liverpool, with Tea.

Under Le

For Singapore, Pen Per Lightning, on Sa stant, at 2 P.M. For San Francisco, Friday, the 19th insta

For further Arrivisements, &c., &c.